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This KIDS COUNT fact book details statewide and county trends in the well-being of North Dakota's children. The statistical portrait is based on indicators of children's well-being in seven areas: (1) population; (2) family composition; (3) economic condition; (4) child care; (5) child health; (6) education; and (7) children at risk. The report begins with an overview of the data's organization, criteria for data selection, data presentation, and data limitations. The bulk of the report then presents data for 8 geographical regions of the state, followed by profiles for each of the state's 53 counties, including multi-year trend data. The final section provides indicators, definitions and data sources, and summarizes North Dakota KIDS COUNT project activities over the past 6 years. Important findings from the report include a decrease in the number of children in the state; increase in low birth weight babies but a decrease in the number of mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care; decrease in the number of child abuse and neglect victims; increase in the number of high school dropouts; and a decrease in the number of children in families receiving TANF, but an increase in the number of children eligible for Medicaid. (HTH)

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Foreword

KIDS COUNT is a project of the Annie E. Casey Foundation, which seeks to track the status of children across the United States and within individual states. The national KIDS COUNT program publishes an annual *KIDS COUNT Data Book*, ranking state performance on ten indicators of educational, social, economic, and physical well-being of children. State KIDS COUNT programs publish yearly reports detailing child well-being in local communities where children live. Both national and state KIDS COUNT programs strive to document conditions affecting children in the areas where they live so that national, state, and local decision-making can more effectively address their needs.

The North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project is one of fifty state projects sponsored by the Annie E. Casey Foundation. It is housed in the University of North Dakota Department of Social Work, and is a collaboration of partners sharing responsibility for data collection, education, and public awareness activities. The *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book* is the seventh Fact Book published by the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project. As with previous Fact Books, this year's edition has been designed to measure child well-being through seven categories of indicators reflecting critical issues for children from prenatal through adolescent stages of development. The front narrative sections have been designed to reflect the differences evident in indicators over the past several years for the state as a whole, and suggests important insights about their importance for North Dakota children and their families. This approach offers perspective and early warning about potential areas of concern, giving local and regional audiences a place to start in considering how children in these smaller areas have been affected by state trends. There is evidence that challenges do not affect North Dakota children equally. It is extremely important for local and regional audiences to carefully weigh evidence of unmet needs reflected in regional and county data pages so that their children can benefit from early attention to the issues which pose the biggest threat to their healthy growth and development.

North Dakota KIDS COUNT! is in its seventh year as a state KIDS COUNT project. During the past year, the project has continued partnerships with the Annie E. Casey Foundation, the state Children's Services Coordinating Committee, and the Dakota Medical Foundation. All of these organizations share a commitment to improving the lives of North Dakota children by promoting their health and well-being through a variety of activities. The support of these organizations is greatly appreciated, as are their respective efforts on behalf of North Dakota children. The Casey Foundation has awarded North Dakota KIDS COUNT! (in partnership with the KIDS COUNT programs in Nebraska and South Dakota) a grant to study the needs of low-income families and their children in rural areas. It is hoped that this rural collaboration will uncover new insights about the needs of families raising children in rural areas that will lead to better resource development tailored to their unique circumstances.

Organization of Data

The *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book* has been designed to offer child well-being data on county, regional, and state levels in a variety of formats. Our hope is to accommodate the many uses Fact Book readers have indicated are important to their respective applications of North Dakota child well-being data. The 2001 Fact Book is divided into four main sections: Overview, Data Pages, Definitions and Data Sources, and a Summary section. The Overview section contains a summary of state trend data over available years. "North Dakota Analysis" segments reflect change over time for indicators which can be uniformly compared. As a complement to this discussion, "Implications for Children and Their Families" segments offer insight about implications of trends for North Dakota child well-being. Data pages are divided into two components: background indicators presenting the most recent available child well-being information in seven categories of indicators; and trend data detailing three years of data for child well-being indicators that change yearly. Note that on the data pages, NA means "not applicable," while NR means "not reported." Definitions and Data Sources supply complete explanations about indicator definitions, along with information sources for respective data. Finally, the Summary section presents basic policy guidelines intended to help our state's youngest citizens realize their full potential. Data contained in the 2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book include Native American children living off reservations in all sections. Native American children living on reservations are included in Head Start data, Census data, Vital Statistics, child care data, and all education data, except special education data. All data referenced in this publication were collected by North Dakota KIDS COUNT! unless otherwise indicated. Cited data contributors are the final authority for all indicators.

Data Information

CRITERIA FOR DATA SELECTION

For the most part, data have been selected which best portray outcomes related to child well-being, rather than programmatic data reflecting only those children in a particular service population. Programmatic data have been used when they are the best or only available measure of children affected by a particular condition, such as children who are in respective special education categories. In these instances, caution must be exercised in assessing the actual number of children whose lives may be touched by a given situation, due to variations in the application of referral criteria. Overall, indicators have been chosen on the basis of their availability by county; the validity of data sources; the ability to convey a broad array of child outcomes; the extent to which they provide for common interpretation; the possibility of their being available over time; and their usefulness as a tool to track long-term trends in child outcomes.

DATA PRESENTATION

In the *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book,* background indicators report the most recent data available for each category of child well-being, while trend indicators have been chosen to reflect important elements of child well-being, for which multiple years of data provide a meaningful lens. Together, background and trend indicators create a "profile" of child well-being for counties, regions, and the state. Readers are urged to refer to the "Definitions and Data Sources" section of the Fact Book for a complete explanation of data collection methodology for each indicator. Note the following changes in indicators and/or data collection methodology for the 2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book: "Juvenile Court" data have been modified to maintain consistency with new Juvenile Court reporting procedures, and will now be referred to as "Juvenile Offenses." These data represent the total number of offenses reported to Juvenile Court, rather than the number of referrals to Juvenile Court, and are not comparable to previous Fact Books. The multi-year trend indicator, "Juveniles Referred to Juvenile Court," has been deleted because data representing juveniles referred under the new system of reporting offenses were not available at the time of publication. Finally, because we are including the new subcategory of "Alcohol Offenses," with the "Juvenile Offenses" data, we have eliminated the indicator, "Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations."

DATA LIMITATIONS

Perhaps the most significant limitation encountered in striving to report indicators by county is the fact that some data are simply not available by county. For example, neither immunization statistics nor the number of uninsured children is available for counties. An additional challenge is the fact that 1990 Census data, although eleven years old, are the most reliable data source for some North Dakota demographic data. However, this will change as 2000 Census data are released. More updated data sources for demographic information are typically based on averages which can be more difficult to interpret for counties with very small populations. There are also data sources, such as the yearly Youth Risk Behavior Survey, that cannot be reported by county because survey results are weighted to represent only those students who actually complete the survey, rather than all students by location. Changes in data collection methodology among data contributors also periodically affect comparability of data over years, as is the case with this year's Juvenile Court data.

The Message Behind the Numbers

While the focus of North Dakota KIDS COUNT! is on the well-being of our children, there is also recognition that their successful journey to adulthood is affected by many factors beyond their control and sphere of influence. A reporter recently asked why the condition of children should be a concern..."whose responsibility are they anyway?" This question has haunted me and challenged me to coin a response that would motivate the many people who use North Dakota KIDS COUNT! data to move the obstacles that prevent too many children from reaching the peaks of their potential. The most simple and direct answer to this question is that it's the right thing to do. Generations of parents, teachers, philanthropists, religious leaders, and decision makers on all levels have played a role in creating the world we have bequeathed our children today. The difference about today's world and today's children is that there have been more disconnections than connections in families and the environments that once supported them. Most families require more than one income - sometimes even more than two jobs - to provide the basics for their children. Economic times have changed, resulting in lower wages for many parents, with fewer benefits. Technological advances have vastly improved communications, but created a global marketplace where competition is fierce and jobs are fleeting. Financial pressures are commonplace and the hope of providing high quality early education, in addition to the nurturing and tangible resources children need to grow up healthy are out of reach for a growing number of families. More parents are rearing children alone and facing the pressures of raising a family with little personal or societal support. Neighborhoods have lost their role as informal helping networks with families spending fewer hours at home. The pace of life is often hectic at work and at home, and children are in the care of teachers for the largest part of their days. Some go home alone to wait for their parents to return from work. To return to the question - "whose responsibility are they?" - everyone shares a stake in the success of every child. Partnerships among parents and grandparents, business, religious, educational, recreational, and other community resources must be supported by policies which enable them to reconstruct the web of support so vital to the success of every child and family.

Overview

There is increasing recognition that the ability of children to successfully reach adulthood is affected by many factors beyond their control and sphere of influence.

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Population

FAST FACTS

- Between 1990 and 1999, North Dakota observed a 16% loss in the number of children ages 0-5.
- During the same time period, the number of children ages 5-9 decreased 17%.
- Only 4 of the state's 53 counties experienced increases in their child population during the decade.
- The number of individuals 85 and older has increased almost 32%.
- The number of white children under age 19 has decreased by 10% between 1990-1999.
- Children identified as Hispanic origin of any race have risen dramatically - increasing 41% during the same time period.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Population losses in rural North Dakota counties continue to affect the numbers of children living in these areas. Between 1990 and 1999, the state experienced a sixteen percent loss in the number of children ages 0-5, and a seventeen percent loss in the number of children ages 5-9, with the majority of counties also recording losses in the 10-14 age group. As the map below illustrates, only four of fifty-three counties saw increases in their child population during the 1990-1999 decade. This information suggests that families with young children have continued their exodus from the state, and this trend is expected to extend into the twenty-first century. North Dakota's steadily declining birth rate is also reflected in these figures. In contrast to declines in the youth population, the number of individuals eighty-five years of age and older increased in every county, with a total increase of almost thirty-two percent for the state as a whole during the past ten years.

The ethnic diversity of the state's children has continued to change during the past ten years. The number of white children under age nineteen has decreased by ten percent between 1990 and 1999, while the number of children identified as Black, American Indian, or Asian has increased by at least ten percent for each ethnic group. Children identified as Hispanic origin of any race have risen dramatically - increasing forty-one percent during the past decade.

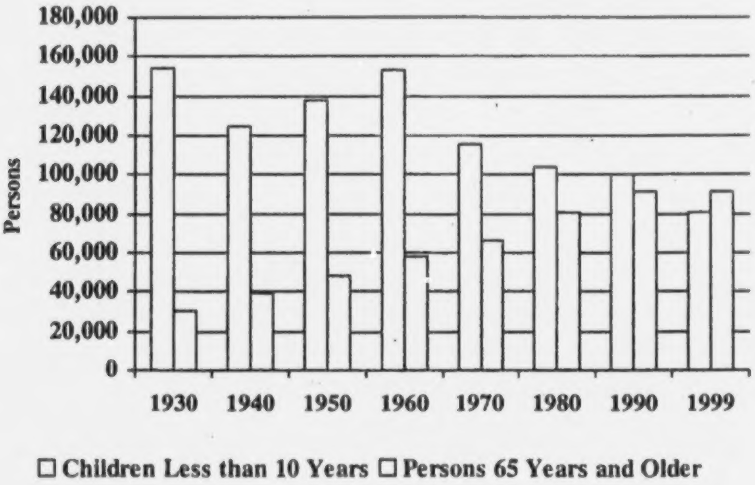
PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN PERSONS AGES 0-18 IN NORTH DAKOTA COUNTIES: 1990-1999

Percentage Change in Persons
Age 0 to 18: 1990-1999
Decline: -32.25 %-to -18.35%
Decline: -18.34% to 0%
Increase: 0% to 15.55%
Divide
Burke
Renville
Bottineau
Rolette
Towner
Cavalier
Pembina
Williams
Mountrail
Ward
McHenry
Pierce
Benson
Ramsey
Walsh
Nelson
Grand Forks
McKenzie
McLean
Sheridan
Wells
Eddy
Foster
Griggs
Steele
Traill
Dunn
Mercer
Billings
Oliver
Burleigh
Kidder
Stutsman
Barnes
Cass
Golden Valley
Stark
Morton
Slope
Hettinger
Grant
Emmons
Logan
La Moure
Ransom
Richland
Bowman
Adams
Sioux
McIntosh
Dickey
Sargent

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FOR FAMILIES

- With the growth of the elderly population and the decline of the youth population, the needs of these two dependent groups will increasingly be competing for resources difficult to obtain. The key is for leaders on all levels to explore solutions that can effectively address the needs of both groups in their local communities.
- Almost half of North Dakota's population resides in rural places, compared to 24.8% for the United States as a whole. Ensuring rural children the resources they need to successfully reach adulthood challenges local communities to connect families with the supports they need to successfully raise their children (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- A recent study finds that North Dakota outranks many states in "quality of life" measures, but falls almost last in net-migration, the formation of new companies, long-term economic growth, and average annual pay. Clearly, economic development strategies that support families are key to the revitalization of communities ("North Dakota Dead Last in Employment Growth," 2000).
- With some 65% of North Dakota public schools located in rural areas, and 35% of rural schools experiencing enrollment declines of at least 10%, policies tailored specifically to rural education are critical to the state's educational performance (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- As service-sector jobs have replaced higher paying employment opportunities in many rural areas, policies that address needs such as child care and health benefits become essential elements in the repopulation and revitalization of rural communities (Lichter, et.al., 1995).

NORTH DAKOTA CHILDREN AND ELDERLY TRENDS: 1930-1999



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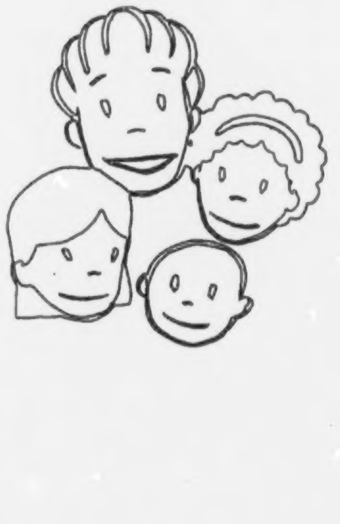


Family Composition

FAST FACTS

- Over the past 10 years, North Dakota has experienced a 38% increase in the percent of families with children headed by a single parent.
- Between 1993 and 1999, the number of North Dakota children in foster care increased 19% - from 1,441 to 1,716.
- Of children in foster care, some 35% have needs requiring residential placements.
- 22% of North Dakota children live with parents who do not have full-time, year-round employment.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

North Dakota families evidence similar changes in structure as families do across the United States. Despite a thirty-eight percent increase in the percent of families with children headed by a single parent over the past ten years, North Dakota continues to rank very favorably on this measure when compared to other states.

A variety of factors, in addition to family structure, impact family functioning with both positive and negative consequences for children. Some North Dakota families struggle to maintain an atmosphere that provides for the safety of their children, as illustrated in the persistent growth of foster care placements. Between 1993 and 1999, the number of children in foster care increased nineteen percent - from 1,441 to 1,716. Of those children in foster care, thrity-five percent have needs that require residential placements, often taking them out of their home communities. The number of children in residential placements has also increased since 1993.

Some twenty-two percent of North Dakota children live with parents whose employment situations are not full-time, year-round sources of income, which often causes increased family stress and may also threaten the solidarity of their families.

PERCENTAGE OF NORTH DAKOTA CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE 1999

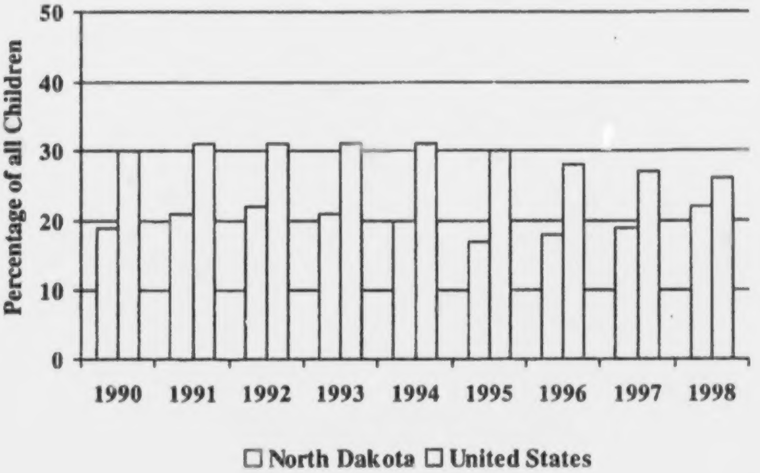
Percentage of Children 0 to 18
in Foster Care: 1999
0% to 0.6%
0.7% to 1.4%
1.5% to 2.8%
Divide
Burke
Renville
Bottineau
Rolette
Towner
Cavalier
Pembina
Williams
Mountrail
Ward
McHenry
Pierce
Benson
Ramsey
Walsh
Nelson
Grand Forks
McKenzie
McLean
Sheridan
Wells
Eddy
Foster
Griggs
Steele
Traill
Dunn
Mercer
Oliver
Billings
Golden Valley
Stark
Morton
Burleigh
Kidder
Stutsman
Barnes
Cass
Slope
Hettinger
Grant
Emmons
Logan
La Moure
Ransom
Richland
Bowman
Adams
Sioux
McIntosh
Dickey
Sargent

Family Composition

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- With the majority of children - 75% of white children and 94% of black children - expected to live in a family headed by a single parent before reaching the age of eighteen, the availability of community-based family support systems becomes a critical link in helping children grow up successfully (Walker, et.al., 1999).
- As families headed by single parents have become the fastest growing segment of American families, more research attention has been focused on child custody arrangements. Notable findings suggest that in cases of divorce, the specific pattern of child custody is less influential on child well-being than emotional stability of the parents and the extent to which ongoing conflict affects their relationship (Walker, et.al., 1999).
- Focus group research involving youth who had been placed in foster care reveals these young people are often capable of making meaningful contributions to determining their living arrangements. They can be helpful in assessing difficult family situations and resources in crafting a strength-based system of family interventions. Based on this evidence, there is growing support for the involvement of foster youth with child welfare professionals in the foster care planning process (Knipe and Warren, 1999).
- The importance of having a father actively involved in the lives of their children has received more attention as awareness has grown about the significant non-financial contributions fathers make to the lives of their children. Many projects have demonstrated that non-custodial fathers can become part of a child's resource network, as nurturers, teachers, disciplinarians, role models, and friends, if they are appropriately supported in carrying out their role (Sylvester and Reich, 2000).

CHILDREN LIVING WITH PARENTS WHO DO NOT HAVE FULL-TIME, YEAR-ROUND EMPLOYMENT: 1990-1998



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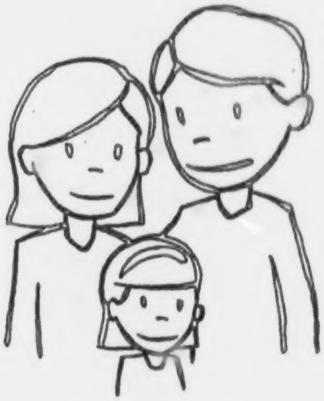

Economic Condition

FAST FACTS

- Over half of North Dakota's 53 counties have child poverty rates exceeding the state average of 16.8%.
- 24 of the state's counties have poverty rates between 17.6% and 27.8%.
- The number of children receiving TANF has fallen from 16,052 in 1996 to 11,804 in 1999.
- During the same time period, the number of children eligible for Medicaid has increased from 18,275 to 22,431.
- Changing enrollment numbers may point to an increasing number of children whose families face economic challenges, but are not eligible for benefits according to current income assistance guidelines.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

In over half of North Dakota's fifty-three counties, the child poverty rate exceeds the state average of 16.8 percent. A growing number of working poor families may be reflected in the twenty-four counties with poverty rates between 17.6 percent and 27.8 percent (see below map). As fewer families are eligible for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits, enrollment numbers for this program have continued to decline for children under the age of twenty-one, falling from 16,052 in 1996 to 11,804 in 1999. During the same time period, children eligible for Medicaid have steadily increased from 18,275 to 22,431, reflecting the ongoing needs of low-income children. Similarly, the growing proportion of children who are eligible for free and reduced-price lunch may point to an increasing number of children whose families face economic challenges, but are not eligible for benefits according to current income assistance guidelines. Decreasing eligibility of children for the Food Stamp Program - from 29,548 in 1996 to 27,944 in 1999 - reflects this circumstance, as well.

The median income for North Dakota families with children under age eighteen was $30,020, according to 1990 Census data. While 2000 Census data are not yet available, more recent estimates for 1998 suggest that North Dakota's median income of families with children is $38,600, compared to $45,600 nationally, and ranking the state forty-second among all states on this measure (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001).

PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN AGES 0 TO 18 IN POVERTY: 1997

Percentage of Children 0 to 18
in Poverty: 1997
8.5% to 17.5%
17.6% to 27.8%
27.9% to 40.8%
Divide
Burke
Renville
Bottineau
Rolette
Towner
Cavalier
Pembina
Williams
Mountrail
Ward
McHenry
Pierce
Benson
Ramsey
Walsh
Nelson
Grand Forks
McKenzie
McLean
Sheridan
Wells
Eddy
Foster
Griggs
Steele
Traill
Dunn
Mercer
Billings
Oliver
Golden Valley
Burleigh
Kidder
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Barnes
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La Moure
Ransom
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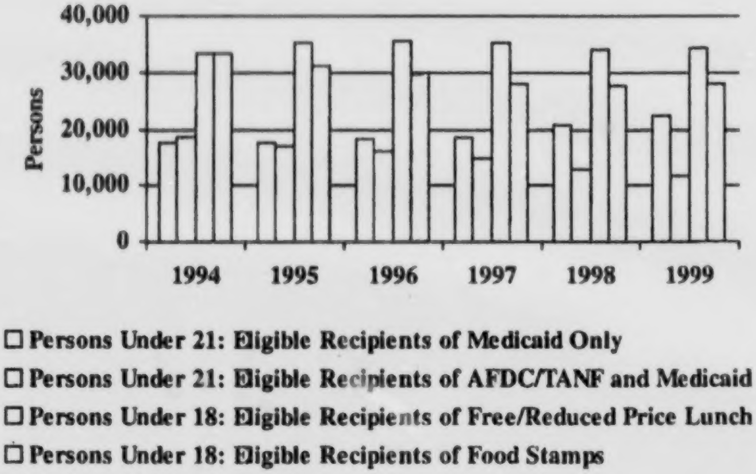
Bowman
Adams
Sioux
McIntosh
Dickey
Sargent

Economic Condition

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- For children growing up in single-parent families, child support payments can be a significant factor in the family's economic security. In North Dakota during 1998, 49% of female-headed families were receiving child support or alimony (*KIDS COUNT Data Book*, 2001). However, of the 40,783 total cases in the North Dakota child support enforcement system during 1998, 73% received no payments (*Child Support Enforcement*, 2000).
- As a federal tax credit for low and moderate income families, the Earned Income Tax Credit can lift working families out of poverty. A recent study of North Dakota TEEM program participants notes that the EITC can provide more than two-thirds of the annual TEEM benefits for a family of three; however, many families are not aware of their eligibility for this credit (London, et.al., 2000).
- Federally-funded school lunch programs provide essential nutrition to an average of 28,744 low-income North Dakota children daily, while school breakfast programs serve only 8,911 low-income children. Increasing the number of schools that offer the breakfast program would further strengthen the ability of low-income families to meet their children's nutritional needs (*State of the States*, 2000).
- A recent evaluation report for North Dakota's TEEM program finds that prior to leaving the program, participants are not always made aware of ongoing services to which they are entitled after leaving the program: notably, Food Stamps, Medicaid, and LIHEAP. In addition, eligibility for child care assistance requires a separate application process which may affect the number of parents who request this help (London, et.al., 2000).

NORTH DAKOTA CHILD ECONOMIC INDICATORS: 1994-1999



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Child Care

FAST FACTS

- The number of licensed child care providers has decreased from 2,062 in 1999 to 1,872 in 2000.
- The number of children for whom licensed providers can care has decreased four percent.
- Licensed child care providers have the capacity to care for about 26% of children who potentially need care.
- 84% of North Dakota children under age 6 live with working parents, compared to 66% nationally.
- Only 12% of families eligible for child care subsidies receive these benefits.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Between 1999 and 2000, North Dakota saw a decrease in the number of licensed child care providers, from 2,062 to 1,872. This decrease continues a five-year downward trend in the number of licensed child care providers across the state. The number of children for whom licensed providers can care has decreased four percent - from 32,137 in 1999 to 30,894 in 2000, and child care shortages are most evident in the smaller counties (see below map). Licensed child care is available for about twenty-six percent of the children under age fourteen who are potentially in need of care. The need for resources is evident in recent estimates suggesting that eighty-four percent of North Dakota children under age six live with working parents, compared to sixty-six percent nationally. Seventy percent of six to twelve year old North Dakota children live with working parents, compared to fifty-five percent nationally (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2000).

Perhaps the families with the steepest hill to climb in order to access and afford child care are the thirty-one percent who work very hard, often at more than one job, but still fall in the ranks of the working poor (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001). Some 51,000 North Dakota children under the age of eighteen live in working poor families, yet only twelve percent of families eligible for child care subsidies receive these benefits (Cauthen, et.al., 2000).

LICENSED CHILD CARE CAPACITY AS A PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 14: 2000

Licensed Child Care Capacity as a Percentage of Children Under Age 14: 2000
0.0% to 14.7%
14.71% to 25.0%
25.1% to 40.8%
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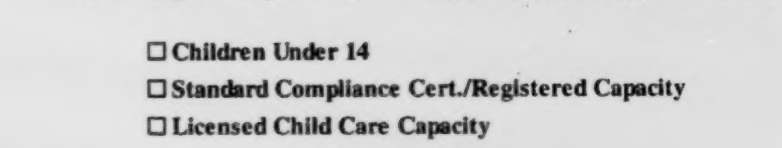
Child Care

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- Recent research reveals that most parents view their responsibility to choose the best early care and education resources for their children as an intensely personal family decision. They value support for their role as decision makers and the availability of resources that fit their individual family needs ("Necessary Compromises," 2000).
- In light of scientific evidence underscoring the importance of early brain development for optimal growth and development, investments in positive early education opportunities can be an important strategy in helping families tip the balance toward more positive outcomes for their children (*From Neurons to Neighborhoods*, 2000).
- Because low-income families are more stretched in providing for their children's needs, studies have found their children have the most to gain from high quality early education opportunities and the most to lose from lower quality experiences. This evidence points to the importance of improving early education opportunities for all children, who will face increasingly complex educational demands in the 21st century ("Necessary Compromises," 2000; *From Neurons to Neighborhoods*, 2000).
- Every state faces the challenge of deciding how to best support early care and learning opportunities for its youngest citizens. North Dakota has supplemented Early Head Start using Temporary Assistance for Needy Families funds during fiscal year 2000, and has created a five-year comprehensive early care and education plan to prioritize areas for action (Cauthen, et.al., 2000). These steps signify important progress toward earlier investments in child well-being.

NORTH DAKOTA CHILD CARE CAPACITY: 1995 & 1997-2000



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Child Health

FAST FACTS

- The trend of low birth weight babies over the last decade has shown an increase, despite the declining birth rate during the same time period.
- There was a 24% decrease in infants deaths between 1998 and 1999, showing a slight rebound from the 55% increase in infant deaths evidenced between 1996 and 1998.
- The number of North Dakota mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care decreased from 382 in 1998 to 325 in 1999.
- The number of WIC program participants has declined consistently since 1998, dropping to 24,500 in 2000.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

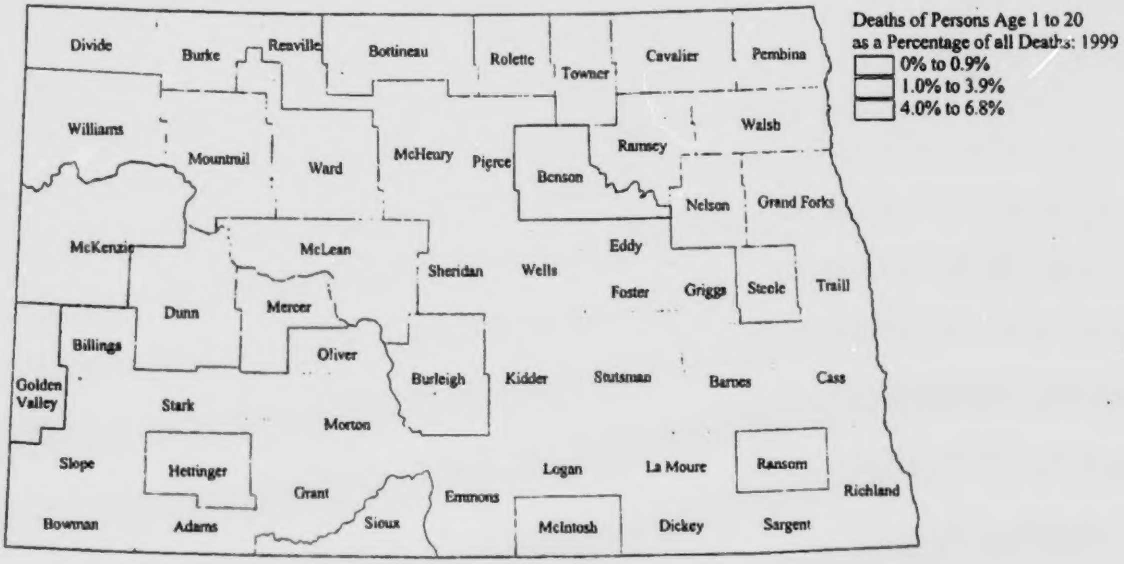
Although the proportion of low weight births remained fairly stable during the eighties, increases have been evident during much of the past decade. There was a slight decrease from 6.5 percent in 1998 to 6.2 percent in 1999; however, the trend over the past ten years shows a general increase, despite a declining birth rate during the same time period.

The number of infant deaths has also evidenced inconsistent progress over the past ten years. Notably, between 1996 and 1998, there was a fifty-five percent increase in infant deaths, from forty-four to sixty-eight, with a twenty-four percent decrease between 1998 and 1999.

Deaths to children under age twenty have changed little over the past decade, with a slight decrease from seventy-three to sixty-seven between 1998 and 1999. Of special concern are the deaths in this age group attributed to preventable accidents. The national KIDS COUNT Data Book finds the child death rate for North Dakota children ages 1-14 has improved thirteen percent over the past decade, earning a ranking of thirty-first among all states (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001).

Following three years of consistent increases, the number of North Dakota mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care decreased from 382 to 325 between 1998 and 1999, implicating 4.3 percent of total births. A mother's access to medical care is a critical factor in obtaining adequate prenatal care. While the Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) has been found to positively influence early participation in prenatal care, the number of WIC program participants has declined consistently since 1998, dropping to 24,500 in the year 2000.

DEATHS OF CHILDREN AGES 1 TO 20 AS A PERCENTAGE OF ALL DEATHS: 1999


Deaths of Persons Age 1 to 20
as a Percentage of all Deaths: 1999
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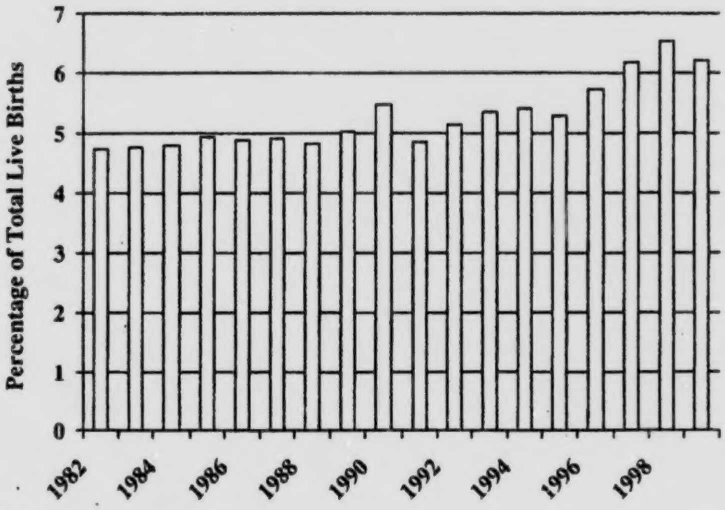
Child Health

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- Despite efforts to reach families with information about their children's eligibility for Medicaid, it is believed that the complexity of the application process deters many from seeking this help. Greater consistency in income and eligibility requirements among health care programs targeted to children and families could help improve their access to needed services.
- Between 1994 and 2000 the number of medically uninsured poor and near-poor North Dakota children with working parents increased by 60%, while the total population of poor and near-poor children with working parents increased by only 21% ("Health Insurance and Poverty Level," 2000). This evidence suggests that employee-sponsored health benefits are not available to a growing number of hard working families, while eligibility for public health care resources is often out of their reach.
- Increases in low weight births to North Dakota women during the past decade may in part be linked to pregnancy behaviors. While there has been a decrease in the number of women who smoked during pregnancy, from 22% in 1990 to 19% in 1998 (*The Right Start*, 2001), the percentage of North Dakota women who smoke during pregnancy has consistently outpaced national averages during this time period and calls attention to the need for more effective pre-natal education opportunities.
- National KIDS COUNT data find that North Dakota's infant mortality rate of 8.6% ranks forty-first among all states during 1998 (*KIDS COUNT Data Book*, 2001). North Dakota data reveal that the number of babies who lived one hour or less also rose during that year, again pointing to the importance of access to early and consistent pre-natal care for pregnant women.

NORTH DAKOTA LOW BIRTH WEIGHT BABIES: 1982-1999



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Education

FAST FACTS

- Average daily membership has declined by 2,200 students between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years.
- Only 8 of 53 North Dakota counties saw an increase in average daily membership.
- Average expenditures per pupil have risen 8% between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 academic years.
- The number of special education students considered seriously emotionally disturbed increased 41% between 1995 and 2000.
- Both home-based and reservation-based Head Start programs were able to serve a larger proportion of eligible children between 1999 and 2000.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

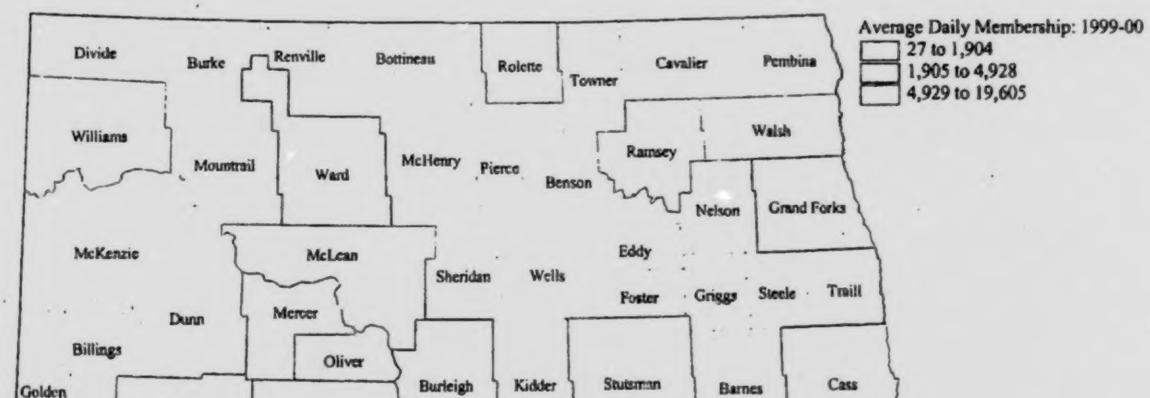
North Dakota's declining child population is reflected in the two percent loss of student population (2,200 students) between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years. Only eight of fifty-three counties saw an increase in their average daily membership during this time period. In response to falling enrollments, the cost of educating students is increasing. The average expenditure per pupil rose eight percent during the same time period, demonstrating the higher costs involved in educating fewer students.

The percentage of students enrolled in special education increased from 10.6 percent in 1995 to 12.4 percent in 2000, with the most noticeable enrollment fluctuations in the 6-11 years and 12-17 years age groups. The number of seriously emotionally disturbed children has seen an increase of forty-one percent during the 1995-2000 time period, pointing to the likelihood that more children are experiencing emotional challenges that impact their learning capacity.

Total enrollment in Head Start remained virtually unchanged between 1999 and 2000, as did the percentage of eligible children enrolled in the program. While center-based programs experienced a decline in the number of eligible children able to be served, both home-based and reservation-based programs were able to serve a larger proportion of eligible children between 1999 and 2000.

The average ACT score in North Dakota dropped slightly between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 academic years - falling from 20.8 to 20.6. Thirty-three of the state's fifty-three counties recorded scores at or higher than the state average.

AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP: 1999-2000


Average Daily Membership: 1999-00
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☐ 1,905 to 4,928
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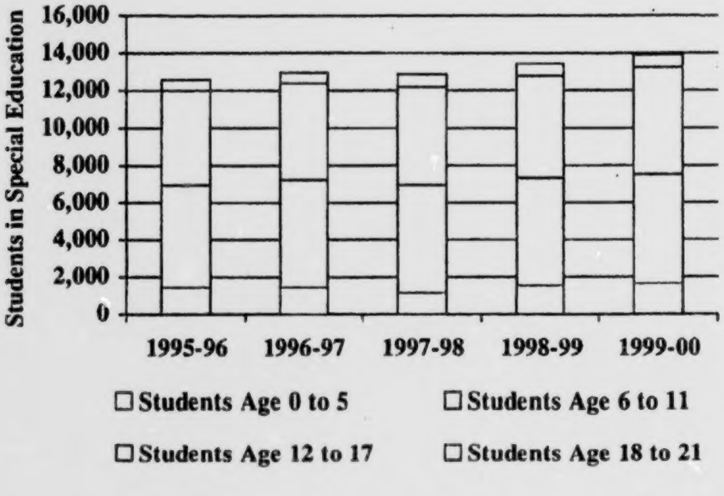
IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- A recent study reports that 65.8% of North Dakota's public schools are in rural areas, with 42.3% of public school students enrolled in rural schools. Findings reveal that North Dakota is one of seven states where there is an urgent need for explicitly rural education policies in order to ensure the state's educational performance and the continued success of students (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- Research confirms that schools where there is less emphasis on security and more emphasis on positive connections among students and adults in nurturing environments improve student achievement and ensure student safety because they encourage a sense of collective responsibility for the school environment (*The Public Assault*, 2000).
- Preliminary national evaluation results for the Early Head Start Program reveal improvements in parent and child outcomes. Children performed better on measures of cognitive, language, and social-emotional development, while parents scored better on home environment, parenting behavior, and knowledge of infant-toddler development ("Building Their Futures," 2001).
- A national review of student achievement on the 2000 standardized ACT college entrance exam reveals that student performance is influenced by a number of factors, including family income. North Dakota findings also reveal that higher ACT scores correlate with lower child poverty levels, signaling the need for educational practices that ensure every child's success.

N.D. CHILDREN ENROLLED IN SPECIAL EDUCATION



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Children At Risk

FAST FACTS

- The number of child abuse and neglect victims decreased from 7,341 in 1998 to 7,074 in 1999.
- Children impacted by domestic violence occurring in their homes increased by 16% between 1999 and 2000.
- The number of dropouts in grades 9-12 increased 7% between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years.
- Out-of-wedlock births to teens ages 12-19 accounted for nearly 8% of all live births during 1999.
- 30 North Dakota counties recorded alcohol offense rates higher than the state rate of 21%.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

The number of child abuse and neglect victims for children under the age of eighteen decreased slightly from 7,341 victims in 1998 to 7,074 victims in 1999. The number of child abuse and neglect reports also decreased slightly over the same time period, with a small increase - from 14.4 percent to 15.7 percent - in instances where services were required. Children impacted by domestic violence increased by sixteen percent between 1999 and 2000.

North Dakota children in grades 9-12 who dropped out of high school during the 1999-2000 academic year accounted for 2.6 percent of these students. While this is a small proportion of the total student population in these grades, it does represent a seven percent increase in the number of dropouts from the 1998-1999 school year.

Out-of-wedlock births to North Dakota teens ages twelve to nineteen years accounted for nearly eight percent of all births during 1999, with twenty-two counties exceeding the state level and five counties reporting rates of twenty percent or higher.

The number of offenses committed by children under age eighteen totaled 14,792 in 1999. Alcohol offenses comprised twenty-one percent of total offenses, with thirty counties recording rates higher than the state rate.

TEENAGE OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL BIRTHS: 1999

Teenage Out-of-Wedlock Births
as a Percentage of Total Births: 1999
☐ 0.0% to 5.6%
☐ 5.61% to 13.7%
☐ 13.71% to 22.4%
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IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- North Dakota is one of only seven states where children facing numerous risks have increased over the past ten years, while the national occurrence has decreased. These results suggest high-risk families with children are in need of supports which enhance their capacity to function in the context of their community networks (O'Hare and Reynolds, 2001).
- While juvenile crime has not increased dramatically in the recent years, media coverage has created a troubling image of young offenders. Uncovering connections among family, school, and community experiences which negatively influence youth behavior can move policymakers from labeling to the creation of positive local community solutions (*The Public Assault*, 2000).
- Contrary to current perception, higher family welfare payments are consistently correlated with lower rates of unwed childbearing among teenage mothers. Attention would be best directed to connecting young adolescents at all income levels with healthy opportunities for socialization and self-discovery in their schools and communities as an investment in their successful development (Males, 1996).
- Our societal commitment to providing safe environments for children is challenged by the contradiction of nationwide suffusion in media and personal violence, as well as a high tolerance for behaviors among adults that are decried when exhibited by youth. Creating opportunities that surround children with positive resources and adult role models who demonstrate respect for themselves and others is a goal that could promote positive change in this negative trend (*The Public Assault*, 2000).

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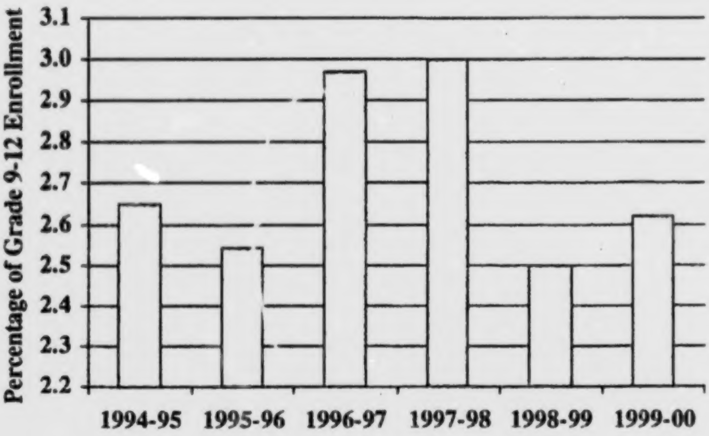

State, Region, and County Data

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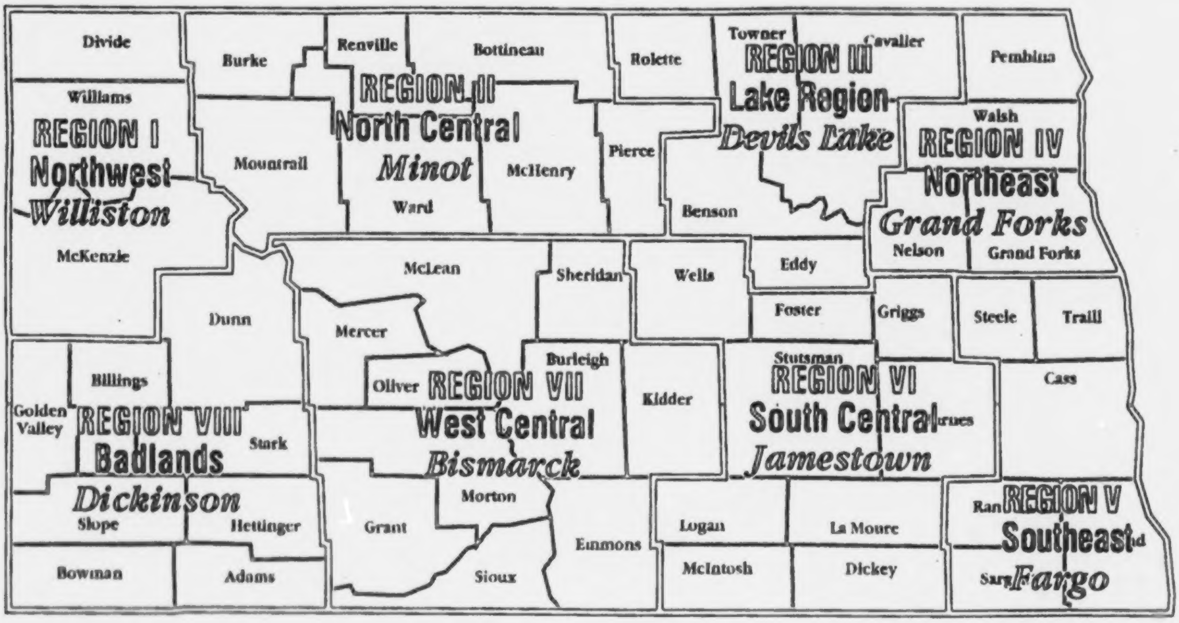
North Dakota Service Regions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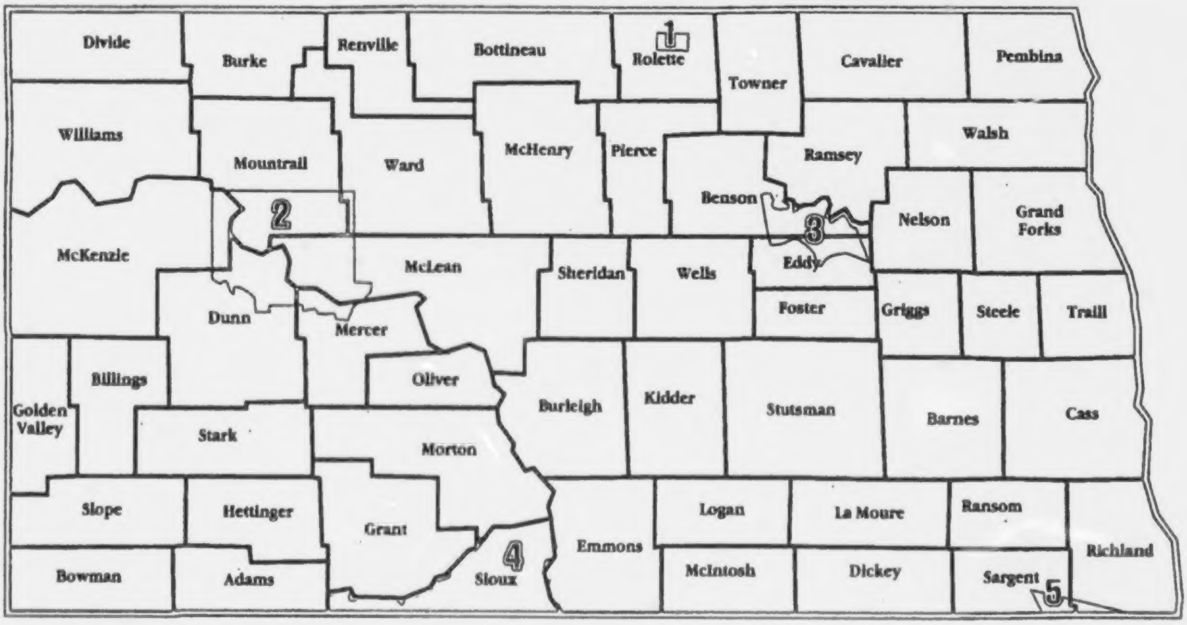
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4. Standing Rock
5. Sisseton

North Dakota

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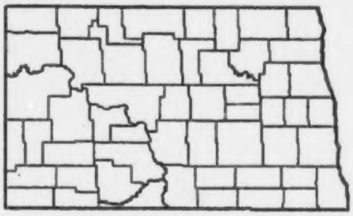
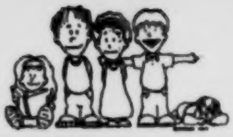


North Dakota

State Capital :	Bismarck
National Population Rank :	47
Land Area (square miles) :	68,994.3
Number of Households :	238,929
Number of Families :	164,487

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	North Dakota	(%)
Population		
Total Population, 1999	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	171,034	26.99%
White	153,034	89.48%
Black	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition		
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	600	34.97%
Economic Condition		
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	12,788	7.37%
Child Care		
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	6,633	5.57%
Child Health		
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	474	6.21%



Education

	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	5,696	40.89%
Ages 18-21	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	4,145	NA
Services Required	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997		1998		1999	
	North Dakota	(%)	North Dakota	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	14,889	7.63%	13,055	6.75%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	18,685	9.56%	20,893	10.80%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	35,352	29.00%	33,924	28.22%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	367	4.39%	382	4.82%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	52	0.62%	68	0.86%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	64	1.09%	73	1.23%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	28,111	17.08%	27,772	17.06%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1,167	3.00%	957	2.50%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	6,966	4.23%	7,341	4.51%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	631	7.55%	644	8.12%	603	7.90%

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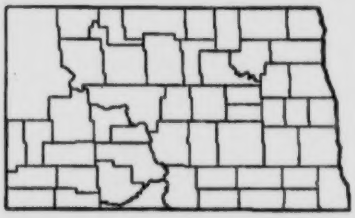
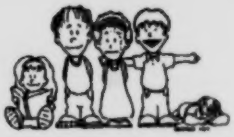


Region I

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	8
Land Area (square miles) :	6,072.2
Number of Households :	10,468
Number of Families :	7,400

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region I	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	27,599	4.36%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	2,167	7.85%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	3,021	10.95%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	2,174	7.88%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	7,790	28.23%	171,034	26.99%
White	6,734	86.44%	153,034	89.48%
Black	9	0.12%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1,018	13.07%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	28	0.36%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	118	1.51%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	1,274	13.96%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	4,214	72.57%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,988	67.56%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	2,226	77.04%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	74	0.95%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	43	58.11%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	31	41.89%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	1,533	20.53%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,061	19.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,579.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	1,035	11.40%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	661	7.28%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	64	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	917	16.27%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	82	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	430	7.63%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	1,063	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	15	4.73%	474	6.21%



	Region I	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,483.84	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	5,252.33	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	152	88.37%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	115	75.66%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	37	24.34%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	662	12.66%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	66	9.97%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	290	43.81%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	277	41.84%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	29	4.38%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	41	6.19%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	184	27.79%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	310	46.83%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	50	7.55%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.6	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	160	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	32	20.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	84	52.50%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	238	3.23%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	758	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	183	24.14%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	191	25.20%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	30	3.96%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	136	17.94%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	218	28.76%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	20	1.33%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region I	(%)	ND	(%)	Region I	(%)	ND	(%)	Region I	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	773	8.79%	14,889	7.63%	685	7.88%	13,055	6.75%	710	8.42%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,070	12.17%	18,685	9.58%	1,171	13.47%	20,893	10.80%	1,167	13.83%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,695	28.74%	35,352	29.00%	1,515	26.41%	33,924	28.22%	1,650	31.11%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	24	7.25%	367	4.39%	16	5.06%	382	4.82%	20	6.31%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	4	1.27%	68	0.86%	4	1.26%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	6	1.82%	64	1.09%	5	1.72%	73	1.23%	6	1.80%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	1,626	21.05%	28,111	17.06%	1,547	20.34%	27,772	17.06%	1,619	21.99%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	77	4.02%	1,167	3.00%	43	2.12%	957	2.50%	60	3.02%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	267	3.46%	6,966	4.22%	319	4.20%	7,341	4.51%	252	3.42%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	35	10.57%	631	7.55%	40	12.06%	644	8.12%	40	12.62%	603	7.90%

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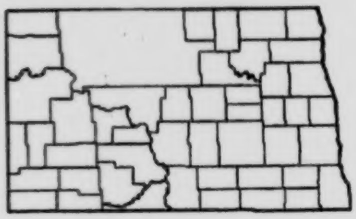

Region II

County Seat : NA
State Population Rank : 4
Land Area (square miles) : 10,376.2
Number of Households : 32,952
Number of Families : 23,403

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region II	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	87,661	13.83%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	6,795	7.75%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	8,515	9.71%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	6,971	7.95%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	23,717	27.06%	171,034	26.99%
White	21,334	89.95%	153,034	89.48%
Black	600	2.53%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1,318	5.56%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	469	1.98%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	601	2.53%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	3,517	14.01%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	12,468	71.03%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	6,123	65.93%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	6,345	75.95%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	188	0.79%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	112	59.57%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	76	40.43%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	4,007	18.87%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	2,645	16.87%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$26,678.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	4,336	17.50%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,757	7.09%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	209	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	3,456	20.77%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	148	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	735	4.42%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,854	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	71	6.17%	474	6.21%

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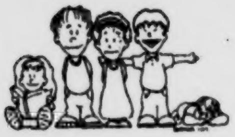

Education

	Region II	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,945.94	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	16,118.52	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	355	67.49%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	205	57.75%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	71	20.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	79	22.25%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	2,317	14.41%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	227	9.80%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	998	43.07%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	961	41.48%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	131	5.65%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	133	5.74%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	923	39.84%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	910	39.27%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	116	5.01%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.3	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Region II	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	652	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	44	6.75%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	484	74.23%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	438	1.97%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,649	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	406	24.62%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	312	18.92%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	16	0.97%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	468	28.38%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	447	27.11%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	72	1.34%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region II	(%)	ND	(%)	Region II	(%)	ND	(%)	Region II	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,833	6.75%	14,889	7.63%	1,582	5.92%	13,055	6.75%	1,536	5.80%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	2,563	9.44%	18,685	9.58%	2,879	10.77%	20,893	10.80%	3,165	11.96%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	5,390	32.15%	35,352	29.00%	5,197	31.60%	33,924	28.22%	5,517	33.24%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	47	3.46%	367	4.39%	34	2.78%	382	4.82%	32	2.78%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	8	0.59%	52	0.62%	8	0.66%	68	0.86%	10	0.87%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	17	2.06%	64	1.09%	7	0.84%	73	1.23%	11	1.27%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	3,666	15.96%	28,111	17.06%	3,640	16.14%	27,772	17.06%	3,778	16.96%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	122	2.11%	1,167	3.00%	160	2.79%	957	2.50%	144	2.59%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,006	4.38%	6,966	4.22%	1,115	4.94%	7,341	4.51%	1,102	4.95%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	84	6.18%	631	7.55%	94	7.70%	644	8.12%	86	7.47%	603	7.90%

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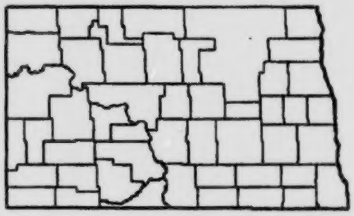
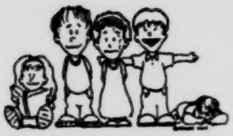


Region III

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	6
Land Area (square miles) :	6,623.9
Number of Households :	15,776
Number of Families :	11,245

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region III	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	43,525	6.87%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	4,054	9.31%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	5,238	12.03%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	3,771	8.66%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	13,794	31.69%	171,034	26.99%
White	7,121	51.62%	153,034	89.48%
Black	30	0.22%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	6,605	47.88%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	35	0.25%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	109	0.79%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	3,422	24.32%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	5,997	67.45%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	2,865	59.51%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	3,132	74.71%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	282	2.04%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	235	83.33%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	47	16.67%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	4,107	25.68%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	2,750	23.63%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,749.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	2,224	16.08%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	2,616	18.91%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	95	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	1,795	17.80%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	302	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	2,048	20.31%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,411	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	33	5.63%	474	6.21%



	Region III	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,272.80	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	8,530.93	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	538	86.91%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	70	13.01%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	70	13.01%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	398	73.98%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	1,069	12.41%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	129	12.07%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	421	39.38%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	470	43.97%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	49	4.58%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	71	6.64%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	271	25.35%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	529	49.49%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	111	10.38%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.8	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	193	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	64	33.16%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	110	56.99%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	255	1.95%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,343	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	270	20.10%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	318	23.68%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	27	2.01%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	329	24.50%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	399	29.71%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	193	7.71%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region III	(%)	ND	(%)	Region III	(%)	ND	(%)	Region III	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	3,903	25.76%	14,889	7.63%	3,753	24.83%	13,055	6.75%	3,388	22.62%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,892	12.49%	18,685	9.58%	2,007	13.28%	20,893	10.80%	2,274	15.19%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	5,269	49.92%	35,352	29.00%	5,068	49.49%	33,924	28.22%	5,205	52.62%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	72	10.60%	367	4.39%	77	12.05%	382	4.82%	72	12.29%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	3	0.44%	52	0.62%	4	0.63%	68	0.86%	3	0.51%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	4	0.83%	64	1.09%	6	1.17%	73	1.23%	15	2.87%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	5,077	38.17%	28,111	17.06%	4,962	37.56%	27,772	17.06%	4,961	37.98%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	167	5.46%	1,167	3.00%	116	3.79%	957	2.50%	162	5.50%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	385	2.89%	6,966	4.22%	414	3.13%	7,341	4.51%	359	2.75%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	125	18.41%	631	7.55%	107	16.74%	644	8.12%	100	17.06%	603	7.90%

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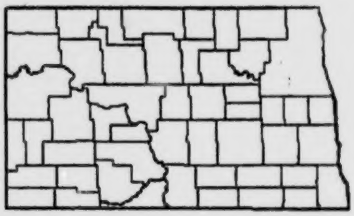
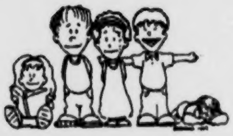


Region IV

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	3
Land Area (square miles) :	4,820.4
Number of Households :	33,013
Number of Families :	22,261

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region IV	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	90,037	14.21%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	7,112	7.90%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	8,357	9.28%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	7,350	8.16%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	24,433	27.14%	171,034	26.99%
White	22,713	92.96%	153,034	89.48%
Black	559	2.29%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	738	3.02%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	423	1.73%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	929	3.80%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	3,678	14.25%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	12,931	73.44%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	6,894	68.93%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	6,037	78.58%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	208	0.85%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	146	70.19%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	62	29.81%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	3,521	16.08%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	2,305	14.73%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,655.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	3,338	13.04%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,204	4.70%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	230	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	4,721	28.24%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	115	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	575	3.44%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	4,358	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	57	5.24%	474	6.21%



Education

	Region IV	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,036.32	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	15,867.53	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	309	71.53%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	289	93.53%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	20	6.47%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	0	0.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	2,024	12.90%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	261	12.90%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	890	43.97%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	788	38.93%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	85	4.20%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	200	9.88%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	635	31.37%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	812	40.12%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	179	8.84%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.6	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Region IV	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	743	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	155	20.86%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	410	55.18%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	671	2.94%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	2,506	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	501	19.99%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	594	23.70%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	69	2.75%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	523	20.87%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	819	32.68%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	100	1.62%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region IV	(%)	ND	(%)	Region IV	(%)	ND	(%)	Region IV	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,566	5.21%	14,889	7.63%	1,373	4.74%	13,055	6.75%	1,135	4.05%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	2,400	7.98%	18,685	9.58%	2,813	9.71%	20,893	10.80%	3,130	11.18%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	4,491	25.72%	35,352	29.00%	4,350	26.05%	33,924	28.22%	4,228	26.66%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	34	2.67%	367	4.39%	73	5.95%	382	4.82%	43	3.95%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	10	0.79%	52	0.62%	9	0.73%	68	0.86%	7	0.64%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	6	0.76%	64	1.09%	9	1.20%	73	1.23%	8	1.09%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	3,825	15.52%	28,111	17.06%	3,918	16.55%	27,772	17.06%	3,874	16.98%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	124	2.48%	1,167	3.00%	59	1.19%	957	2.50%	82	1.60%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,434	5.82%	6,966	4.22%	1,530	6.46%	7,341	4.51%	1,407	6.17%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	79	6.21%	631	7.55%	67	5.46%	644	8.12%	84	7.72%	603	7.90%

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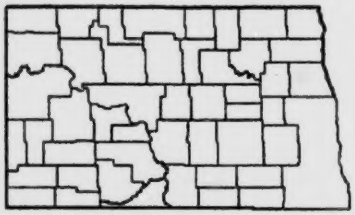
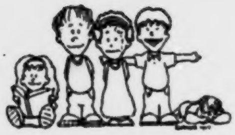


Region V

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	1
Land Area (square miles) :	6,498.5
Number of Households :	60,824
Number of Families :	39,152

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	157,085	24.79%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	11,336	7.22%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	14,105	8.98%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	12,431	7.91%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	40,571	25.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	38,796	95.62%	153,034	89.48%
Black	186	0.46%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	904	2.23%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	682	1.68%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	629	1.55%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	4,783	13.20%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	18,075	77.95%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	9,050	73.45%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	9,025	82.46%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	384	0.95%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	274	71.35%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	110	28.65%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	4,519	13.75%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	2,806	12.37%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$33,175.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	3,277	9.20%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,767	4.96%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	543	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	9,849	35.67%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	224	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	1,104	4.00%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	4,605	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	138	6.72%	474	6.21%



Education

	Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,910.23	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	26,846.80	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	292	46.57%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	291	99.66%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	1	0.34%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	0	0.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	2,875	10.89%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	336	11.69%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	1,250	43.48%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	1,156	40.21%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	133	4.63%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	306	10.64%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	795	27.65%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	1,075	37.39%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	276	9.60%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.0	NA	20.6	NA

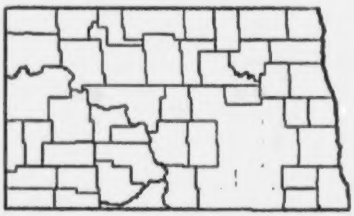
Children At Risk

	Region V	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	1,205	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	144	11.95%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	595	49.38%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	850	2.24%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	2,883	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	647	22.44%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	502	17.41%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	34	1.18%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	844	29.28%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	856	29.69%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	119	1.38%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region V	(%)	ND	(%)	Region V	(%)	ND	(%)	Region V	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	2,245	4.89%	14,889	7.63%	1,811	3.91%	13,055	6.75%	1,805	3.89%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	3,978	8.67%	18,685	9.58%	4,559	9.85%	20,893	10.80%	4,779	10.30%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	5,313	20.24%	35,352	29.00%	5,104	19.26%	33,924	28.22%	5,250	19.25%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	71	3.39%	367	4.39%	54	2.65%	382	4.82%	58	2.82%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	13	0.62%	52	0.62%	18	0.88%	68	0.86%	12	0.58%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	8	0.68%	64	1.09%	7	0.57%	73	1.23%	8	0.65%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	5,010	13.28%	28,111	17.06%	4,873	12.86%	27,772	17.06%	5,005	13.22%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	247	2.86%	1,167	3.00%	250	3.14%	957	2.50%	256	2.93%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,797	4.76%	6,966	4.22%	1,911	5.04%	7,341	4.51%	1,895	5.00%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	103	4.91%	631	7.55%	140	6.86%	644	8.12%	114	5.55%	603	7.90%

North Dakota



Region VI

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	5
Land Area (square miles) :	10,574.8
Number of Households :	23,800
Number of Families :	16,437

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	60,640	9.57%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	3,738	6.16%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	5,335	8.80%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	4,563	7.52%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	14,591	24.06%	171,034	26.99%
White	14,311	98.08%	153,034	89.48%
Black	59	0.40%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	117	0.80%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	103	0.71%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	121	0.83%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	1,921	11.41%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	7,927	76.73%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	3,385	69.69%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	4,542	81.97%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	105	0.72%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	64	60.95%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	41	39.05%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

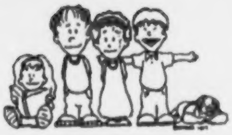
	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	2,655	19.69%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,838	18.34%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,925.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	2,356	14.03%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,339	7.98%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	177	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	2,526	25.46%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	84	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	422	4.25%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	2,161	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	37	6.40%	474	6.21%



Education

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,548.05	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	10,667.38	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	200	85.84%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	110	55.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	90	45.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	0	0.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	1,359	12.77%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	101	7.43%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	598	44.00%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	579	42.60%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	81	5.96%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	88	6.48%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	397	29.21%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	609	44.81%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	169	12.44%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.9	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Region VI	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	240	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	65	27.08%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	130	54.17%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	473	3.47%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,481	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	302	20.39%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	293	19.78%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	263	17.76%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	301	20.32%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	322	21.74%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	108	3.05%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region VI	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VI	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VI	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	791	4.76%	14,889	7.63%	589	3.59%	13,055	6.75%	451	2.79%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,901	11.45%	18,685	9.58%	1,989	12.12%	20,893	10.80%	2,045	12.67%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	3,538	31.33%	35,352	29.00%	3,300	29.73%	33,924	28.22%	3,272	30.21%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	20	3.31%	367	4.39%	26	4.50%	382	4.82%	20	3.46%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	4	0.66%	52	0.62%	3	0.52%	68	0.86%	2	0.35%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	3	0.36%	64	1.09%	11	1.33%	73	1.23%	2	0.23%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	2,073	14.67%	28,111	17.06%	1,982	14.26%	27,772	17.06%	1,828	13.41%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	47	1.19%	1,167	3.00%	60	1.55%	957	2.50%	68	1.80%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	396	2.80%	6,966	4.22%	422	3.04%	7,341	4.51%	399	2.93%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	41	6.78%	631	7.55%	35	6.06%	644	8.12%	43	7.44%	603	7.90%

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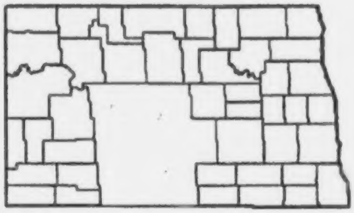
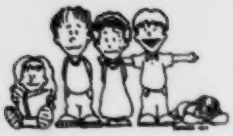


Region VII

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	2
Land Area (square miles) :	14,026.2
Number of Households :	47,671
Number of Families :	34,340

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Region VII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	128,685	20.31%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	9,614	7.47%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	13,306	10.34%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	10,557	8.20%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	35,624	27.68%	171,034	26.99%
White	31,930	89.63%	153,034	89.48%
Black	62	0.17%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	3,382	9.49%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	254	0.71%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	437	1.23%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	4,944	13.67%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	17,299	76.39%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	7,975	70.41%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	9,324	81.50%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	356	1.00%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	174	48.88%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	182	51.12%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	5,659	22.16%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	3,758	20.71%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$34,542.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	3,848	10.70%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	2,537	7.06%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	407	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	5,854	23.44%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	266	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	1,199	4.80%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,483	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	98	6.65%	474	6.21%

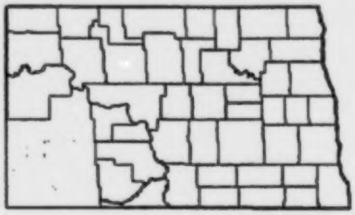


	Region VII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,755.62	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	23,287.01	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	519	70.23%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	312	60.12%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	55	10.60%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	152	29.29%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	2,860	12.59%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	357	12.48%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	1,222	42.73%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	1,151	40.24%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	130	4.55%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	106	3.71%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	1,012	35.38%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	1,169	40.87%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	288	10.07%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.3	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	741	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	104	14.04%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	498	67.21%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	968	2.89%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	3,182	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	578	18.16%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	858	26.96%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	130	4.09%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	865	27.18%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	751	23.60%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	129	1.83%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region VII	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VII	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VII	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	3,185	8.07%	14,889	7.63%	2,842	7.20%	13,055	6.75%	2,393	6.12%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	3,598	9.12%	18,685	9.58%	3,991	10.12%	20,893	10.80%	4,420	11.30%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	6,867	27.01%	35,352	29.00%	6,640	26.15%	33,924	28.22%	6,634	26.74%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	84	5.28%	367	4.39%	87	5.74%	382	4.82%	65	4.41%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	11	0.69%	52	0.62%	17	1.12%	68	0.86%	11	0.75%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	17	1.65%	64	1.09%	21	1.96%	73	1.23%	12	1.06%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	5,418	15.94%	28,111	17.06%	5,494	16.24%	27,772	17.06%	5,536	16.54%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	355	4.56%	1,167	3.00%	240	2.99%	957	2.50%	222	2.69%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,192	3.51%	6,966	4.22%	1,271	3.76%	7,341	4.51%	1,296	3.87%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	134	8.43%	631	7.55%	130	8.58%	644	8.12%	107	7.26%	603	7.90%

North Dakota



Region VIII

County Seat :	NA
State Population Rank :	7
Land Area (square miles) :	10,002.2
Number of Households :	14,425
Number of Families :	10,249

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	38,434	6.07%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	2,817	7.33%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	3,977	10.35%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	3,098	8.06%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	10,514	27.36%	171,034	26.99%
White	10,095	96.01%	153,034	89.48%
Black	14	0.13%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	319	3.03%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	88	0.84%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	136	1.29%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	1,347	11.19%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	5,720	72.06%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	2,667	68.88%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	3,053	74.84%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	119	1.13%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	68	57.14%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	51	42.86%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

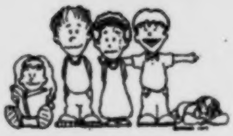
	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	1,811	17.13%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,285	16.96%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,603.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	1,779	14.93%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	907	7.61%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	147	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	1,776	23.97%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	24	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	120	1.62%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	1,565	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	25	6.46%	474	6.21%



Education

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,983.77	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	6,970.17	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	111	77.08%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	72	64.86%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	32	28.83%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	7	6.31%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	749	10.72%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	109	14.55%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	270	36.05%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	316	42.19%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	54	7.21%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	28	3.74%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	251	33.51%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	272	36.32%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	73	9.75%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Region VIII	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	211	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	44	20.85%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	119	56.40%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	320	3.23%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	990	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	207	20.91%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	178	17.98%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	215	21.72%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	176	17.78%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	214	21.62%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	39	1.78%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Region VIII	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VIII	(%)	ND	(%)	Region VIII	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	593	4.97%	14,889	7.63%	420	3.56%	13,055	6.75%	386	3.35%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,283	10.75%	18,685	9.58%	1,484	12.58%	20,893	10.80%	1,451	12.58%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	2,789	33.74%	35,352	29.00%	2,750	34.04%	33,924	28.22%	2,663	34.17%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	15	3.53%	367	4.39%	15	3.81%	382	4.82%	15	3.88%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	3	0.71%	52	0.62%	5	1.27%	68	0.86%	3	0.78%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	3	0.78%	64	1.09%	7	1.71%	73	1.23%	5	1.20%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	1,416	13.75%	28,111	17.06%	1,356	13.38%	27,772	17.06%	1,341	13.56%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	28	1.02%	1,167	3.00%	29	1.06%	957	2.50%	29	1.08%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	489	4.75%	6,966	4.22%	359	3.54%	7,341	4.51%	364	3.68%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	30	7.06%	631	7.55%	31	7.87%	644	8.12%	29	7.49%	603	7.90%

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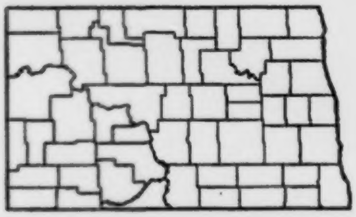


Adams County

County Seat :	Hettinger
State Population Rank :	44
Land Area (square miles) :	988.0
Number of Households :	1,054
Number of Families :	723

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	2,644	0.42%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	166	6.28%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	237	8.96%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	190	7.19%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	630	23.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	624	99.05%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	6	0.95%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	0	0.00%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	0	0.00%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	81	9.79%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	380	78.95%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	148	79.05%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	232	78.88%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	5	0.79%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	2	40.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	60.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

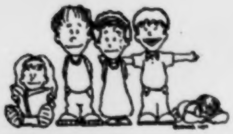
	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	119	18.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	81	16.40%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,451.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	119	14.46%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	16	1.94%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	9	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	117	26.41%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	3.39%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Adams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	77	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Adams	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,692.09	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	473.30	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	5	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	5	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	46	9.68%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	5	10.87%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	12	26.09%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	26	56.52%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	3	6.52%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	11	23.91%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	24	52.17%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	4	8.70%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.7	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Adams	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	9	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	22.22%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	7	77.78%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	0	0.00%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	187	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	24	12.83%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	5	2.67%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	134	71.66%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	16	8.56%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	8	4.28%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	3	1.96%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Adams	[%]	ND	[%]	Adams	[%]	ND	[%]	Adams	[%]	ND	[%]
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	4	0.54%	14,889	7.63%	11	1.54%	13,055	6.75%	2	0.29%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	82	11.02%	18,685	9.58%	77	10.80%	20,893	10.80%	72	10.53%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	178	33.46%	35,352	29.00%	167	31.45%	33,924	28.22%	153	32.42%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	7.69%	367	4.39%	1	5.26%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	2	10.53%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	2.44%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	62	9.52%	28,111	17.08%	55	8.89%	27,772	17.06%	41	6.91%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.56%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.59%	957	2.50%	1	0.60%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	17	2.61%	6,966	4.22%	15	2.42%	7,341	4.51%	17	2.87%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	0	0.00%	644	8.12%	3	18.75%	603	7.90%

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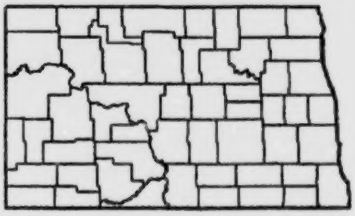
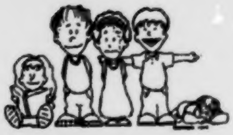


Barnes County

County Seat :	Valley City
State Population Rank :	13
Land Area (square miles) :	1,491.8
Number of Households :	4,711
Number of Families :	3,156

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Barnes	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	11,864	1.87%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	753	6.35%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,022	8.61%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	964	8.13%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,951	24.87%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,892	98.00%	153,034	89.48%
Black	11	0.37%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	21	0.71%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	26	0.88%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	25	0.85%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	416	13.45%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,467	74.10%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	640	67.19%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	827	79.44%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	29	0.98%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	22	75.86%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	7	24.14%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	520	18.60%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	356	17.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$26,404.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	398	12.80%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	289	9.29%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	29	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	486	25.04%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	31	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	155	7.99%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	356	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	5	4.46%	474	6.21%



Education

	Barnes	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,450.61	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,904.73	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	54	85.71%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	50	92.59%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	4	7.41%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	257	13.55%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	21	8.17%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	108	42.02%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	110	42.80%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	18	7.00%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	12	4.67%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	61	23.74%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	120	46.69%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	43	16.73%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Barnes	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	66	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	13	19.70%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	46	69.70%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	216	7.89%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	292	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	56	19.18%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	82	28.08%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	74	25.34%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	80	27.40%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	7	0.91%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Barnes	(%)	ND	(%)	Barnes	(%)	ND	(%)	Barnes	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	220	6.44%	14,889	7.63%	163	4.83%	13,055	6.75%	117	3.52%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	430	12.59%	18,685	9.58%	419	12.42%	20,893	10.80%	441	13.28%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	597	29.47%	35,352	29.00%	569	27.95%	33,924	28.22%	568	29.55%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	1.71%	367	4.39%	6	4.41%	382	4.82%	4	3.57%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	2	1.47%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.63%	64	1.09%	3	2.04%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	490	17.26%	28,111	17.06%	440	15.78%	27,772	17.06%	413	15.08%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	8	1.13%	1,167	3.00%	12	1.78%	957	2.50%	2	0.32%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	108	3.80%	6,966	4.22%	101	3.62%	7,341	4.51%	110	4.02%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	7	5.98%	631	7.55%	7	5.15%	644	8.12%	11	9.82%	603	7.90%

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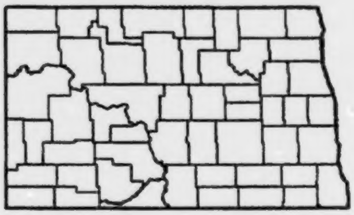


Benson County

County Seat :	Minnewaukan
State Population Rank :	19
Land Area (square miles) :	1,388.6
Number of Households :	2,273
Number of Families :	1,721

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	6,781	1.07%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	775	11.43%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	948	13.98%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	626	9.23%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,468	36.40%	171,034	26.99%
White	893	36.18%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1,570	63.61%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	5	0.20%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	13	0.53%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	756	30.22%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	938	58.00%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	436	44.72%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	502	69.52%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	70	2.84%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	63	90.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	7	10.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

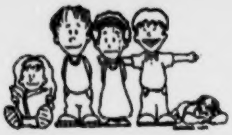
	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	932	38.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	623	35.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$17,221.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	507	20.82%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	543	22.30%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	10	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	179	9.64%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	19	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	212	11.42%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	578	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	3	2.22%	474	6.21%



	Benson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$6,421.99	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,070.54	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	120	96.77%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	22	18.33%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	98	81.67%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	210	19.89%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	26	12.38%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	78	37.14%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	94	44.76%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	12	5.71%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	14	6.67%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	57	27.14%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	97	46.19%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	28	13.33%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	17.9	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	10	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	40.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	4	40.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	44	1.87%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	70	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	14	20.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	14	20.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	4.29%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	23	32.86%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	16	22.86%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	50	12.02%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Benson	(%)	ND	(%)	Benson	(%)	ND	(%)	Benson	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	903	34.36%	14,889	7.63%	848	31.70%	13,055	6.75%	781	29.34%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	374	14.23%	18,685	9.58%	403	15.07%	20,893	10.80%	485	18.22%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,106	68.53%	35,352	29.00%	1,043	65.80%	33,924	28.22%	1,050	70.52%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	11	8.46%	367	4.39%	21	17.21%	382	4.82%	22	16.30%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	0.77%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	2	2.56%	73	1.23%	5	6.85%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	1,092	46.89%	28,111	17.06%	1,065	45.11%	27,772	17.06%	1,084	46.15%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	47	10.31%	1,167	3.00%	16	3.72%	957	2.50%	18	4.01%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	16	0.69%	6,966	4.22%	42	1.78%	7,341	4.51%	16	0.68%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	22	16.92%	631	7.55%	22	18.03%	644	8.12%	27	20.00%	603	7.90%

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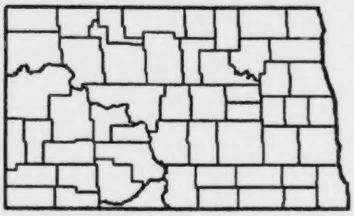


Billings County

County Seat :	Medora
State Population Rank :	52
Land Area (square miles) :	1,151.5
Number of Households :	373
Number of Families :	293

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	1,066	0.17%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	81	7.60%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	125	11.73%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	95	8.91%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	319	29.92%	171,034	26.99%
White	318	99.69%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	0	0.00%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.31%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	1	0.31%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	12	3.30%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	168	50.60%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	73	49.32%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	95	51.58%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	1.25%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	2	50.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	50.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

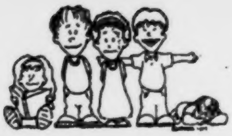
	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	46	14.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	43	17.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,542.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	38	10.58%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	32	8.91%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	0	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$13,464.27	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	90.22	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	1	50.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	1	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	14	15.05%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	3	21.43%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	4	28.57%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	6	42.86%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	1	7.14%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	7	50.00%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	6	42.86%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	1	7.14%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	NA	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Billings	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	2	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	2	100.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	0	0.00%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	0	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	0	0.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	0	0.00%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	0	0.00%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Billings	(%)	ND	(%)	Billings	(%)	ND	(%)	Billings	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1	0.27%	14,889	7.63%	2	0.58%	13,055	6.75%	0	0.00%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	22	5.98%	18,685	9.58%	30	8.65%	20,893	10.80%	28	8.07%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	35	32.11%	35,352	29.00%	39	36.11%	33,924	28.22%	36	38.30%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	1	14.29%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	9	2.81%	28,111	17.06%	16	5.32%	27,772	17.06%	19	6.31%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	4	1.25%	6,966	4.22%	2	0.66%	7,341	4.51%	2	0.66%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	1	14.29%	644	8.12%	1	16.67%	603	7.90%

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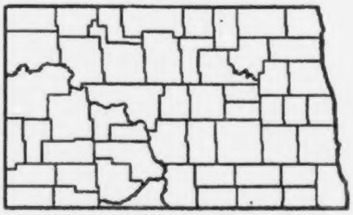
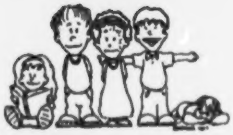


Bottineau County

County Seat :	Bottineau
State Population Rank :	18
Land Area (square miles) :	1,668.7
Number of Households :	2,808
Number of Families :	1,967

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	7,241	1.14%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	430	5.94%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	655	9.05%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	604	8.34%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,818	25.11%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,789	98.40%	153,034	89.48%
Black	2	0.11%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	19	1.05%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	8	0.44%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	20	1.10%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	230	11.15%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	987	77.20%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	399	70.18%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	588	81.97%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	15	0.83%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	13	86.67%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	13.33%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	305	17.20%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	209	15.20%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,295.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	385	19.05%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	103	5.10%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	19	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	245	20.54%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	1.26%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	140	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,284.35	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,234.01	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	11	78.57%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	11	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	186	15.33%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	8	4.30%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	82	44.09%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	83	44.62%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	13	6.99%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	5	2.69%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	51	27.42%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	95	51.08%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	13	6.99%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.8	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Bottineau	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	19	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	10.53%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	13	68.42%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	43	2.55%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	116	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	57	49.14%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	9	7.76%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	26	22.41%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	24	20.69%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	8	1.42%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Bottineau	(%)	ND	(%)	Bottineau	(%)	ND	(%)	Bottineau	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	84	4.08%	14,889	7.63%	57	2.82%	13,055	6.75%	64	3.20%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	243	11.79%	18,685	9.58%	263	13.01%	20,893	10.80%	246	12.29%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	378	27.94%	35,352	29.00%	391	29.87%	33,924	28.22%	416	34.41%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	3	6.12%	382	4.82%	2	3.92%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	1.37%	52	0.62%	1	2.04%	68	0.86%	1	1.96%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	2	2.02%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	262	14.95%	28,111	17.06%	253	14.80%	27,772	17.06%	244	14.45%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	7	1.71%	1,167	3.00%	7	1.72%	957	2.50%	5	1.32%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	55	3.14%	6,966	4.22%	65	3.80%	7,341	4.51%	37	2.19%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	3	4.11%	631	7.55%	2	4.08%	644	8.12%	7	13.73%	603	7.90%

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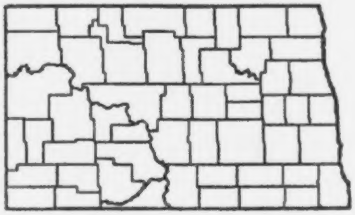


Bowman County

County Seat :	Bowman
State Population Rank :	36
Land Area (square miles) :	1,162.1
Number of Households :	1,292
Number of Families :	898

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	3,269	0.52%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	206	6.30%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	315	9.64%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	255	7.80%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	827	25.30%	171,034	26.99%
White	827	100.00%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	0	0.00%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	0	0.00%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	6	0.73%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	99	9.81%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	500	84.40%	84,531	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	213	84.98%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	287	83.97%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.48%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	25.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	75.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

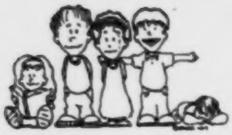
	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	117	13.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	89	13.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,500.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	126	12.50%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	85	8.43%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	54	9.41%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	2	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	10	1.74%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	128	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	11.11%	474	6.21%



Education

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,158.29	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	765.04	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	2	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	2	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	68	8.96%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	8	11.76%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	30	44.12%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	25	36.76%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	7.35%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	28	41.18%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	28	41.18%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	7	10.29%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Bowman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	5	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	1	20.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	2	40.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	11	1.42%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	50	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	23	46.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	16.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	7	14.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	8	16.00%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	4	8.00%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	10	5.08%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Bowman	(%)	ND	(%)	Bowman	(%)	ND	(%)	Bowman	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	24	2.63%	14,889	7.63%	10	1.10%	13,055	6.75%	11	1.22%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	48	5.25%	18,685	9.58%	75	8.26%	20,893	10.80%	81	9.01%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	192	23.85%	35,352	29.00%	191	23.90%	33,924	28.22%	212	27.97%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	2.86%	367	4.39%	1	2.94%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	2.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	44	5.54%	28,111	17.06%	51	6.47%	27,772	17.06%	65	8.38%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.33%	957	2.50%	1	0.33%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	14	1.76%	6,966	4.22%	16	2.03%	7,341	4.51%	7	0.90%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	5.71%	631	7.55%	0	0.00%	644	8.12%	1	5.56%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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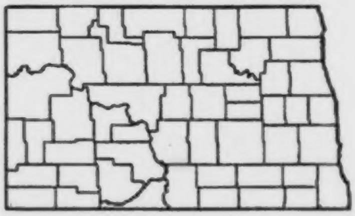
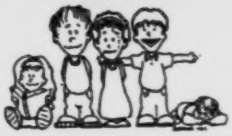


Burke County

County Seat :	Bowbells
State Population Rank :	47
Land Area (square miles) :	1,103.6
Number of Households :	915
Number of Families :	629

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Burke	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,189	0.35%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	102	4.66%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	193	8.82%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	157	7.17%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	481	21.97%	171,034	26.99%
White	470	97.71%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	6	1.25%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	5	1.04%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	9	1.87%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	74	9.97%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	337	62.91%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	122	59.84%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	215	64.65%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.42%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	50.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	50.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	85	17.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	62	15.30%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$23,021.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	181	24.73%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	89	12.16%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	50	15.24%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	1	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	5	1.52%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	41	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	11.76%	474	6.21%



Education

	Burke	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$6,456.21	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	376.48	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	NA	NA	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	NA	NA	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	NA	NA	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	55	14.67%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	2	3.64%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	20	36.36%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	30	54.55%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	3	5.45%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	1.82%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	18	32.73%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	32	58.18%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	3	5.45%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.2	NA	20.6	NA

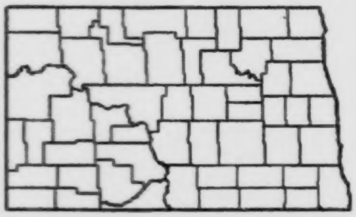
Children At Risk

	Burke	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	9	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	8	88.89%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	23	5.09%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	13	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	6	46.15%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	4	30.77%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	7.69%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	2	15.38%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	0	0.00%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	2	1.30%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Burke	(%)	ND	(%)	Burke	(%)	ND	(%)	Burke	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	20	3.51%	14,889	7.63%	19	3.52%	13,055	6.75%	11	2.11%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	54	9.49%	18,685	9.58%	46	8.52%	20,893	10.80%	62	11.88%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	119	27.61%	35,352	29.00%	127	31.28%	33,924	28.22%	122	32.45%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	2	5.13%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	66	13.33%	28,111	17.06%	57	12.18%	27,772	17.06%	53	11.73%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.58%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.61%	957	2.50%	1	0.69%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	14	2.83%	6,966	4.22%	15	3.21%	7,341	4.51%	18	3.98%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	5.88%	631	7.55%	1	11.11%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

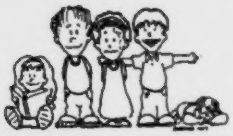


Burleigh County

County Seat :	Bismarck
State Population Rank :	2
Land Area (square miles) :	1,633.2
Number of Households :	25,385
Number of Families :	17,717

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	67,371	10.63%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	5,009	7.43%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	6,577	9.76%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	5,429	8.06%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	18,158	26.95%	171,034	26.99%
White	16,899	93.07%	153,034	89.48%
Black	38	0.21%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1,049	5.78%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	172	0.95%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	283	1.56%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	2,632	15.72%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	8,516	81.29%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	4,000	76.00%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	4,516	85.98%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	188	1.04%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	87	46.28%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	101	53.72%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	2,148	12.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,327	10.40%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$36,119.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	1,284	7.71%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	836	5.02%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	227	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	3,788	30.09%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	86	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	430	3.42%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	1,806	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	51	6.30%	474	6.21%



Education

	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,739.15	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	11,397.60	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	186	55.36%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	178	95.70%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	8	4.30%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	1,302	11.84%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	158	12.14%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	578	44.39%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	506	38.86%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	60	4.61%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	55	4.22%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	404	31.03%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	519	39.86%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	149	11.44%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Burleigh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	455	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	55	12.09%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	316	69.45%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	451	2.65%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,802	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	295	16.37%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	539	29.91%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	6	0.33%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	532	29.52%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	430	23.86%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	35	0.98%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Burleigh	(%)	ND	(%)	Burleigh	(%)	ND	(%)	Burleigh	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,411	7.03%	14,889	7.63%	1,125	5.58%	13,055	6.75%	986	4.89%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,748	8.71%	18,685	9.58%	1,925	9.54%	20,893	10.80%	2,145	10.64%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	2,182	18.47%	35,352	29.00%	2,175	18.17%	33,924	28.22%	2,105	17.49%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	34	3.87%	367	4.39%	41	4.96%	382	4.82%	23	2.84%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	9	1.03%	52	0.62%	11	1.33%	68	0.86%	6	0.74%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	6	1.37%	64	1.09%	3	0.65%	73	1.23%	5	1.02%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	2,465	14.47%	28,111	17.06%	2,391	14.02%	27,772	17.06%	2,464	14.48%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	131	3.96%	1,167	3.00%	97	2.91%	957	2.50%	104	2.85%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	721	4.23%	6,966	4.22%	739	4.33%	7,341	4.51%	778	4.57%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	69	7.86%	631	7.55%	59	7.13%	644	8.12%	40	4.94%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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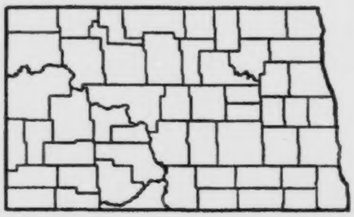


Cass County

County Seat :	Fargo
State Population Rank :	1
Land Area (square miles) :	1,765.7
Number of Households :	46,363
Number of Families :	29,057

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	118,405	18.69%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	8,747	7.39%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	10,384	8.77%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	9,084	7.67%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	30,199	25.50%	171,034	26.99%
White	28,828	95.46%	153,034	89.48%
Black	165	0.55%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	603	2.00%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	602	1.99%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	501	1.66%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	3,779	14.71%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	13,236	79.73%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	6,786	75.10%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	6,450	84.60%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	322	1.07%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	225	69.88%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	97	30.12%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

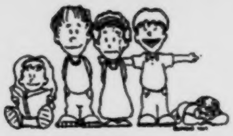
	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	3,178	11.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,890	9.60%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$35,293.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	1,941	7.66%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,143	4.51%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	437	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	8,434	40.75%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	183	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	910	4.40%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,493	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	112	6.85%	474	6.21%



Education

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,097.10	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	19,604.58	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	193	40.04%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	193	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	2,097	10.93%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	229	10.92%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	922	43.97%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	843	40.20%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	103	4.91%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	258	12.30%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	579	27.61%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	748	35.67%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	215	10.25%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.4	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Cass	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	1,030	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	117	11.36%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	492	47.77%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	608	2.15%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	2,418	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	481	19.89%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	447	18.49%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	19	0.79%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	728	30.11%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	743	30.73%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	100	1.60%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Cass	(%)	ND	(%)	Cass	(%)	ND	(%)	Cass	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,805	5.32%	14,889	7.63%	1,468	4.25%	13,055	6.75%	1,487	4.27%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	2,863	8.43%	18,685	9.58%	3,377	9.78%	20,893	10.80%	3,601	10.34%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	3,459	18.88%	35,352	29.00%	3,337	17.77%	33,924	28.22%	3,437	17.35%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	45	2.76%	367	4.39%	38	2.36%	382	4.82%	37	2.26%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	9	0.55%	52	0.62%	15	0.93%	68	0.86%	7	0.43%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	5	0.69%	64	1.09%	2	0.25%	73	1.23%	4	0.52%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	3,585	12.93%	28,111	17.06%	3,569	12.72%	27,772	17.06%	3,697	13.10%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	210	3.43%	1,167	3.00%	209	3.81%	957	2.50%	213	3.37%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,472	5.31%	6,966	4.22%	1,566	5.58%	7,341	4.51%	1,622	5.75%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	79	4.84%	631	7.55%	109	6.78%	644	8.12%	86	5.26%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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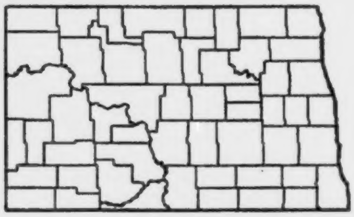
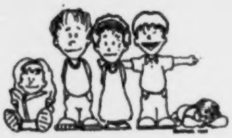


Cavalier County

County Seat :	Langdon
State Population Rank :	26
Land Area (square miles) :	1,489.1
Number of Households :	1,890
Number of Families :	1,332

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Cavalier	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	4,821	0.76%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	312	6.47%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	429	8.90%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	341	7.07%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,150	23.85%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,133	98.52%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.09%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	15	1.30%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.09%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3	0.26%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	84	5.14%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	772	64.25%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	397	59.45%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	375	69.33%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	3	0.26%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	33.33%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	66.67%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	222	18.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	153	16.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$26,935.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	332	20.28%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	138	8.43%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	10	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	185	22.81%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	20	2.47%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	165	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	3.33%	474	6.21%



Education

	Cavalier	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,392.96	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	855.08	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	12	60.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	12	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	92	10.99%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	15	16.30%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	33	35.87%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	41	44.57%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	3	3.26%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	5	5.43%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	19	20.65%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	51	55.43%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	8	8.70%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.8	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Cavalier	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	8	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	50.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	3	37.50%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	11	1.02%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	76	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	24	31.58%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	10.53%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	9	11.84%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	20	26.32%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	15	19.74%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	2	0.79%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Cavalier	(%)	ND	(%)	Cavalier	(%)	ND	(%)	Cavalier	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	45	3.32%	14,889	7.63%	48	3.63%	13,055	6.75%	24	1.92%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	104	7.66%	18,685	9.58%	100	7.55%	20,893	10.80%	147	11.78%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	316	31.01%	35,352	29.00%	309	30.44%	33,924	28.22%	296	31.93%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	4	8.16%	367	4.39%	2	4.88%	382	4.82%	2	6.67%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.45%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	2	2.99%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	124	10.47%	28,111	17.06%	133	11.57%	27,772	17.06%	145	13.40%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.29%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.31%	957	2.50%	6	1.90%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	34	2.87%	6,966	4.22%	24	2.09%	7,341	4.51%	15	1.39%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	4.08%	631	7.55%	0	0.00%	644	8.12%	1	3.33%	603	7.90%

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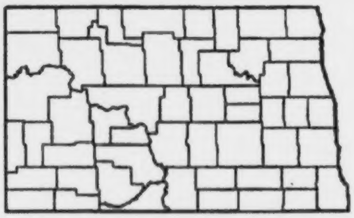


Dickey County

County Seat :	Ellendale
State Population Rank :	23
Land Area (square miles) :	1,131.1
Number of Households :	2,135
Number of Families :	1,501

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	5,662	0.89%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	329	5.81%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	509	8.99%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	469	8.28%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,408	24.87%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,387	98.51%	153,034	89.48%
Black	2	0.14%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	8	0.57%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	12	0.85%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	24	1.70%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	162	10.61%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	697	73.17%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	303	60.07%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	394	83.25%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.28%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	25.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	75.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

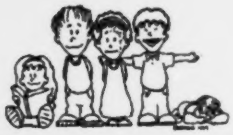
	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	267	19.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	190	18.20%	18,448	15.[illegible]0%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,500.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	157	10.43%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	173	11.50%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	20	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	299	32.54%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	9	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	45	4.90%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	119	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	3	5.08%	474	6.21%



Education

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$3,921.56	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	981.34	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	22	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	22	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	102	10.20%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	7	6.86%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	56	54.90%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	37	36.27%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	2	1.96%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	6	5.88%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	34	33.33%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	40	39.22%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	17	16.67%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Dickey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	18	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	22.22%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	12	66.67%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	58	4.44%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	87	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	25	28.74%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	11	12.64%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	37	42.53%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	8	9.20%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	6	6.90%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	15	3.72%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Dickey	(%)	ND	(%)	Dickey	(%)	ND	(%)	Dickey	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	64	4.02%	14,889	7.63%	49	3.08%	13,055	6.75%	34	2.15%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	230	14.46%	18,685	9.58%	229	14.39%	20,893	10.80%	231	14.62%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	279	28.85%	35,352	29.00%	276	30.36%	33,924	28.22%	299	30.67%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	3	5.56%	367	4.39%	1	1.79%	382	4.82%	1	1.69%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	1	1.69%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	1.20%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	217	16.41%	28,111	17.06%	220	16.68%	27,772	17.06%	209	15.99%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	2	0.64%	957	2.50%	1	0.33%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	27	2.04%	6,966	4.22%	40	3.03%	7,341	4.51%	30	2.30%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	3.70%	631	7.55%	2	3.57%	644	8.12%	3	5.08%	603	7.90%

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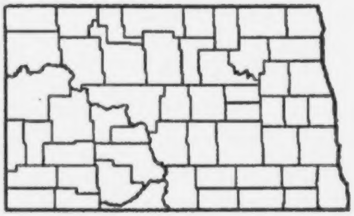
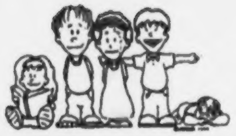


Divide County

County Seat :	Crosby
State Population Rank :	45
Land Area (square miles) :	1,259.4
Number of Households :	945
Number of Families :	658

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,294	0.36%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	134	5.84%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	186	8.11%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	136	5.93%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	480	20.92%	171,034	26.99%
White	471	98.13%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.21%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	6	1.25%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.42%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	6	1.25%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	81	11.71%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	313	79.23%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	142	83.10%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	171	76.02%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	5	1.04%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	2	40.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	60.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	93	18.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	66	17.40%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,227.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	128	18.47%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	18	2.60%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	30	8.55%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	2	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	10	2.85%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	27	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,634.24	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	362.33	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	NA	NA	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	NA	NA	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	NA	NA	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	19	5.23%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	1	5.26%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	10	52.63%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	7	36.84%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	1	5.26%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	8	42.11%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	9	47.37%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	1	5.26%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Divide	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	12	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	3	25.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	4	33.33%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	3	0.66%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	49	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	27	55.10%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	5	10.20%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	2.04%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	8	16.33%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	8	16.33%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Divide	(%)	ND	(%)	Divide	(%)	ND	(%)	Divide	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	17	3.06%	14,889	7.63%	12	2.23%	13,055	6.75%	12	2.32%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	53	9.53%	18,685	9.58%	53	9.87%	20,893	10.80%	41	7.92%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	123	29.85%	35,352	29.00%	145	35.45%	33,924	28.22%	149	41.97%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	6.67%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	1	9.09%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	2.13%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	51	10.34%	28,111	17.06%	61	12.84%	27,772	17.06%	44	9.65%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.70%	957	2.50%	1	0.78%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	12	2.43%	6,966	4.22%	19	4.00%	7,341	4.51%	16	3.51%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	6.67%	631	7.55%	2	18.18%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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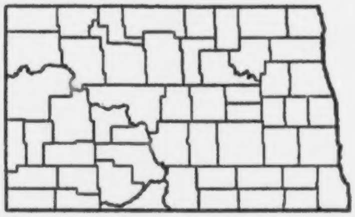
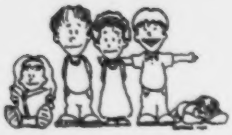


Dunn County

County Seat :	Manning
State Population Rank :	34
Land Area (square miles) :	2,010.0
Number of Households :	1,238
Number of Families :	928

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Dunn	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	3,457	0.55%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	284	8.22%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	397	11.48%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	268	7.75%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	997	28.84%	171,034	26.99%
White	821	82.35%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	175	17.55%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.20%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	15	1.50%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	146	11.80%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	523	69.22%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	238	68.07%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	285	70.18%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	13	1.30%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	10	76.92%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	23.08%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	218	21.20%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	163	21.20%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$23,393.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	189	15.17%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	173	13.88%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	68	9.19%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	48	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	3.23%	474	6.21%



Education

	Dunn	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$7,327.33	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	613.06	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	9	42.86%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	1	11.11%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	1	11.11%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	7	77.78%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	59	9.75%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	7	11.86%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	21	35.59%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	26	44.07%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	8.47%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	21	35.59%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	24	40.68%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	8	13.56%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.4	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Dunn	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	18	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	7	38.89%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	11	61.11%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	8	0.84%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	42	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	3	7.14%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	19.05%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	18	42.86%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	5	11.90%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	8	19.05%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Dunn	(%)	ND	(%)	Dunn	(%)	ND	(%)	Dunn	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	66	5.76%	14,889	7.63%	62	5.58%	13,055	6.75%	68	6.35%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	76	6.64%	18,685	9.58%	71	6.39%	20,893	10.80%	79	7.38%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	239	37.00%	35,352	29.00%	235	37.07%	33,924	28.22%	243	40.10%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	2	8.33%	382	4.82%	2	6.45%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	1	3.23%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	3	6.00%	73	1.23%	1	2.22%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	111	10.91%	28,111	17.06%	119	12.09%	27,772	17.06%	113	11.91%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	1.06%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	18	1.77%	6,966	4.22%	28	2.85%	7,341	4.51%	37	3.90%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	2.94%	631	7.55%	2	8.33%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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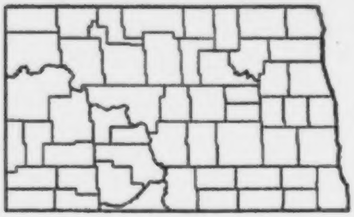

Eddy County

County Seat :	New Rockford
State Population Rank :	42
Land Area (square miles) :	632.1
Number of Households :	1,131
Number of Families :	759

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,795	0.44%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	162	5.80%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	269	9.62%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	202	7.23%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	670	23.97%	171,034	26.99%
White	655	97.76%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	13	1.94%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.15%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3	0.45%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	82	11.11%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	361	77.29%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	147	75.51%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	214	78.50%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	5	0.75%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	3	60.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	40.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	137	19.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	90	16.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,607.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	141	19.08%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	37	5.01%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	8	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	90	18.87%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	25	5.24%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	74	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%

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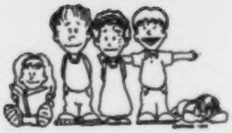

Education

	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,089.06	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	566.79	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	1	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	1	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	61	10.59%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	11	18.03%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	22	36.07%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	24	39.34%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	6.56%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	3.28%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	23	37.70%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	26	42.62%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	3	4.92%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.9	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Eddy	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	4	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	3	75.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	5	0.79%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	62	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	19	30.65%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	16	25.81%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	4.84%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	7	11.29%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	17	27.42%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	6	4.51%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Eddy	(%)	ND	(%)	Eddy	(%)	ND	(%)	Eddy	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	25	3.37%	14,889	7.63%	42	5.67%	13,055	6.75%	24	3.31%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	83	11.20%	18,685	9.58%	91	12.28%	20,893	10.80%	93	12.83%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	198	33.50%	35,352	29.00%	193	32.55%	33,924	28.22%	194	34.15%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	4.76%	367	4.39%	2	6.25%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	1.96%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	84	12.90%	28,111	17.06%	82	12.65%	27,772	17.06%	70	11.06%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.51%	1,167	3.00%	5	2.54%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	32	4.92%	6,966	4.22%	19	2.93%	7,341	4.51%	4	0.63%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	9.52%	631	7.55%	2	6.25%	644	8.12%	4	14.81%	603	7.90%

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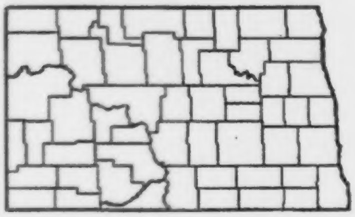
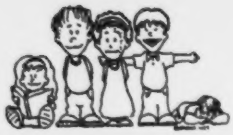


Emmons County

County Seat : Linton
State Population Rank : 29
Land Area (square miles) : 1,510.0
Number of Households : 1,644
Number of Families : 1,226

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Emmons	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	4,302	0.68%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	248	5.76%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	360	8.37%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	308	7.16%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	979	22.76%	171,034	26.99%
White	973	99.39%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	3	0.31%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	4	0.41%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	5	0.51%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	71	5.71%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	569	68.72%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	248	67.34%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	321	69.78%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	1	0.10%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	100.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	215	21.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	158	20.60%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$22,097.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	177	14.27%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	171	13.79%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	14	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	160	23.95%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	2.25%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	226	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



	Emmons	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,793.27	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	815.22	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	11	61.11%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	11	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	100	12.48%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	6	6.00%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	55	55.00%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	34	34.00%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	5.00%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	33	33.00%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	55	55.00%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	8	8.00%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.1	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	14	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	14.29%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	11	78.57%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	13	1.42%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	55	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	14	25.45%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	5	9.09%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	21	38.18%	784	5.30%
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Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Emmons	(%)	ND	(%)	Emmons	(%)	ND	(%)	Emmons	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	29	2.59%	14,889	7.63%	10	0.92%	13,055	6.75%	3	0.28%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	60	5.35%	18,685	9.58%	69	6.32%	20,893	10.80%	48	4.49%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	357	43.80%	35,352	29.00%	350	42.94%	33,924	28.22%	365	45.45%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	4.17%	367	4.39%	1	2.38%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	64	6.62%	28,111	17.06%	62	6.62%	27,772	17.06%	44	4.80%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.40%	1,167	3.00%	2	0.95%	957	2.50%	4	1.57%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	20	2.07%	6,966	4.22%	11	1.18%	7,341	4.51%	34	3.71%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	2	4.76%	644	8.12%	1	3.33%	603	7.90%

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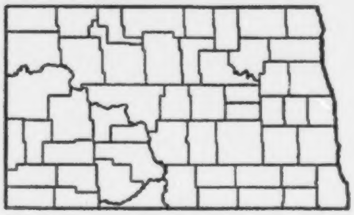
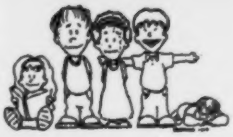


Foster County

County Seat :	Carrington
State Population Rank :	32
Land Area (square miles) :	635.3
Number of Households :	1,465
Number of Families :	1,049

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Foster	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	3,787	0.60%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	265	7.00%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	358	9.45%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	283	7.47%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	965	25.48%	171,034	26.99%
White	948	98.24%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	14	1.45%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.21%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	11	1.14%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	104	9.51%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	495	76.16%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	224	74.11%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	271	77.86%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.21%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	100.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	157	16.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	115	15.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,083.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	138	12.64%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	97	8.88%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	109	16.10%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	2	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	10	1.48%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	218	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	8	20.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Foster	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$3,924.91	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	731.79	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	5	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	5	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	64	8.48%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	5	7.81%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	28	43.75%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	29	45.31%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	2	3.13%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	18	28.13%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	31	48.44%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	7	10.94%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.9	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Foster	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	8	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	1	12.50%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	2	25.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	0	0.00%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	179	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	33	18.44%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	18	10.06%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	102	56.98%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	14	7.82%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	12	6.70%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	4	1.72%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Foster	(%)	ND	(%)	Foster	(%)	ND	(%)	Foster	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	53	5.02%	14,889	7.63%	29	2.72%	13,055	6.75%	23	2.19%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	118	11.18%	18,685	9.58%	122	11.46%	20,893	10.80%	122	11.64%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	154	21.04%	35,352	29.00%	138	18.65%	33,924	28.22%	135	18.12%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	2.63%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	3	4.48%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	161	17.56%	28,111	17.06%	120	13.02%	27,772	17.06%	112	12.36%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.46%	1,167	3.00%	4	1.73%	957	2.50%	1	0.43%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	20	2.18%	6,966	4.22%	32	3.47%	7,341	4.51%	10	1.10%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	6	15.79%	631	7.55%	3	6.52%	644	8.12%	4	10.00%	603	7.90%

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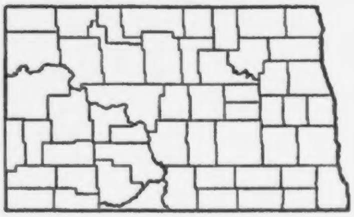
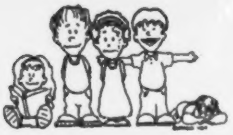


Golden Valley County

County Seat :	Beach
State Population Rank :	50
Land Area (square miles) :	1,002.0
Number of Households :	686
Number of Families :	462

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Golden Valley	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	1,782	0.28%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	120	6.73%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	197	11.05%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	159	8.92%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	506	28.40%	171,034	26.99%
White	475	93.87%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	28	5.53%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	3	0.59%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	6	1.19%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	52	7.99%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	250	74.80%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	125	69.60%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	125	80.00%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	5	0.99%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	3	60.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	40.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	96	20.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	70	18.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,875.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	95	15.86%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	65	10.85%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	93	26.65%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	20	5.73%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	90	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Golden Valley	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,262.17	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	425.50	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	5	71.43%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	5	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	35	8.08%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	5	14.29%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	19	54.29%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	11	31.43%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	0	0.00%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	2.86%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	17	48.57%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	11	31.43%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	0	0.00%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.6	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Golden Valley	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	7	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	5	71.43%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	2	0.42%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	24	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	1	4.17%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	33.33%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	4.17%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	11	45.83%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	3	12.50%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	3	2.33%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Golden Valley	(%)	ND	(%)	Golden Valley	(%)	ND	(%)	Golden Valley	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	23	3.89%	14,889	7.63%	19	3.35%	13,055	6.75%	12	2.18%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	72	12.18%	18,685	9.58%	90	15.87%	20,893	10.80%	63	11.45%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	337	58.20%	35,352	29.00%	332	54.88%	33,924	28.22%	306	58.73%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	4.76%	367	4.39%	1	6.25%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	6.67%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	6.25%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	58	11.33%	28,111	17.06%	70	14.34%	27,772	17.06%	59	12.39%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	5	2.37%	1,167	3.00%	2	0.99%	957	2.50%	2	1.07%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	21	4.10%	6,966	4.22%	7	1.43%	7,341	4.51%	11	2.31%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	4.76%	631	7.55%	2	12.50%	644	8.12%	2	13.33%	603	7.90%

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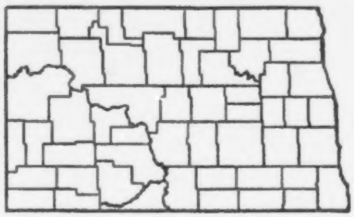


Grand Forks County

County Seat :	Grand Forks
State Population Rank :	3
Land Area (square miles) :	1,437.9
Number of Households :	23,225
Number of Families :	15,421

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	64,674	10.21%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	5,391	8.34%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	5,875	9.08%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	5,479	8.47%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	18,000	27.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	16,465	91.47%	153,034	89.48%
Black	548	3.04%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	626	3.48%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	361	2.01%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	570	3.17%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	2,832	15.41%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	9,490	72.68%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	5,298	67.50%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	4,192	79.22%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	167	0.93%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	121	72.46%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	46	27.54%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

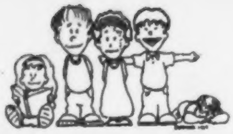
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	2,353	14.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,517	13.20%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,925.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	2,318	12.71%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	757	4.15%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	176	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	3,725	30.73%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	86	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	430	3.55%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,104	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	41	4.91%	474	6.21%



Education

	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,084.49	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	11,071.38	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	255	72.03%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	255	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	1,420	13.11%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	206	14.51%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	624	43.94%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	545	38.38%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	45	3.17%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	165	11.62%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	436	30.70%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	557	39.23%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	110	7.75%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.1	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Grand Forks	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	594	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	122	20.54%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	332	55.89%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	531	3.17%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,881	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	374	19.88%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	497	26.42%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	2	0.11%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	403	21.42%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	605	32.16%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	44	0.90%	780	2.11%

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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Grand Forks	(%)	ND	(%)	Grand Forks	(%)	ND	(%)	Grand Forks	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,192	5.25%	14,889	7.63%	1,075	4.94%	13,055	6.75%	912	4.34%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,647	7.25%	18,685	9.58%	2,030	9.32%	20,893	10.80%	2,300	10.95%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	3,016	24.59%	35,352	29.00%	2,847	24.47%	33,924	28.22%	2,834	25.52%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	23	2.28%	367	4.39%	56	5.79%	382	4.82%	24	2.87%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	5	0.50%	52	0.62%	6	0.62%	68	0.86%	5	0.60%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	2	0.49%	64	1.09%	7	1.75%	73	1.23%	3	0.73%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	2,582	14.16%	28,111	17.06%	2,733	15.69%	27,772	17.06%	2,810	16.78%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	94	2.73%	1,167	3.00%	53	1.59%	957	2.50%	60	1.74%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	1,044	5.73%	6,966	4.22%	1,251	7.18%	7,341	4.51%	1,145	6.84%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	64	6.35%	631	7.55%	49	5.06%	644	8.12%	59	7.07%	603	7.90%

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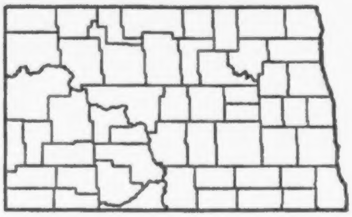
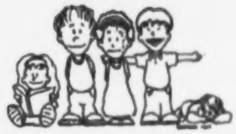


Grant County

County Seat :	Carson
State Population Rank :	38
Land Area (square miles) :	1,659.6
Number of Households :	1,106
Number of Families :	805

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Grant	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,854	0.45%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	170	5.96%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	256	8.97%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	207	7.25%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	675	23.65%	171,034	26.99%
White	658	97.48%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.15%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	14	2.07%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.30%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	8	1.19%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	48	5.10%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	437	74.60%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	189	75.66%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	248	73.79%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	0	0.00%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	239	33.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	168	30.60%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$22,328.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	178	18.62%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	83	8.68%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	51	10.94%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	10	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	50	10.73%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	90	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	5.26%	474	6.21%



Education

	Grant	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,619.17	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	422.30	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	31	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	31	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	47	11.22%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	6	12.77%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	21	44.68%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	19	40.43%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	1	2.13%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	2.13%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	15	31.91%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	22	46.81%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	4	8.51%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Grant	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	7	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	6	85.71%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	5	0.79%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	36	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	5	13.89%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	3	8.33%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	2.78%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	15	41.67%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	12	33.33%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	2	1.09%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Grant	(%)	ND	(%)	Grant	(%)	ND	(%)	Grant	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	18	2.25%	14,889	7.63%	27	3.51%	13,055	6.75%	25	3.41%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	82	10.26%	18,685	9.58%	63	8.19%	20,893	10.80%	71	9.69%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	346	67.71%	35,352	29.00%	336	67.33%	33,924	28.22%	338	72.07%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	2	8.33%	382	4.82%	1	5.26%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	4.00%	52	0.62%	2	8.33%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	3.13%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	95	13.75%	28,111	17.06%	102	15.38%	27,772	17.06%	87	13.74%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	5.41%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	1	0.65%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	15	2.17%	6,966	4.22%	7	1.06%	7,341	4.51%	15	2.37%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	8.00%	631	7.55%	2	8.33%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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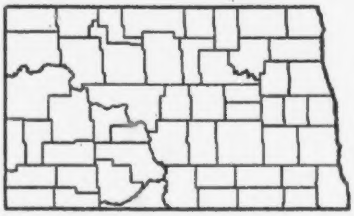


Griggs County

County Seat :	Cooperstown
State Population Rank :	43
Land Area (square miles) :	708.5
Number of Households :	1,089
Number of Families :	800

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	2,778	0.44%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	165	5.94%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	256	9.22%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	199	7.16%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	659	23.72%	171,034	26.99%
White	651	98.79%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	5	0.76%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	3	0.46%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	1	0.15%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	43	5.02%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	382	78.80%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	160	75.00%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	222	81.53%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	7	1.06%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	4	57.14%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	42.86%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

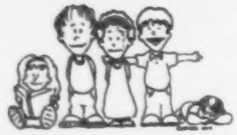
	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	142	20.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	101	19.20%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,076.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	171	19.95%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	60	7.00%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	12	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	180	38.88%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	3.24%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	116	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	5.26%	474	6.21%



Education

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,429.43	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	601.75	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	2	40.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	2	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	47	7.69%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	4	8.51%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	14	29.79%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	24	51.06%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	10.64%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	4.26%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	8	17.02%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	20	42.55%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	9	19.15%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.7	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Griggs	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	12	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	7	58.33%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	4	33.33%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	2	0.32%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	21	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	6	28.57%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	2	9.52%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	9	42.86%	784	5.30%
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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Griggs	(%)	ND	(%)	Griggs	(%)	ND	(%)	Griggs	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	25	3.37%	14,889	7.63%	11	1.49%	13,055	6.75%	13	1.82%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	96	12.94%	18,685	9.58%	89	12.06%	20,893	10.80%	90	12.61%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	214	31.66%	35,352	29.00%	229	35.67%	33,924	28.22%	208	34.15%	34,419	29.06%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	3	10.71%	367	4.39%	2	11.11%	382	4.82%	2	10.53%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	2.50%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	91	14.02%	28,111	17.06%	81	12.58%	27,772	17.06%	82	13.23%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	0.78%	1,167	3.00%	5	2.00%	957	2.50%	3	1.18%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	24	3.70%	6,966	4.22%	19	2.95%	7,341	4.51%	23	3.71%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	3.57%	631	7.55%	2	11.11%	644	8.12%	1	5.26%	603	7.90%

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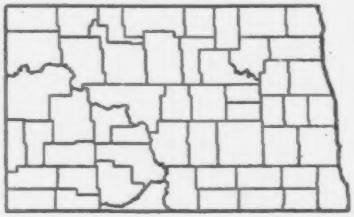
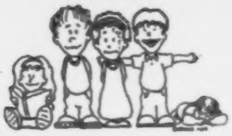


Hettinger County

County Seat :	Mott
State Population Rank :	39
Land Area (square miles) :	1,132.3
Number of Households :	1,103
Number of Families :	810

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,839	0.45%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	175	6.16%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	253	8.91%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	193	6.80%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	658	23.18%	171,034	26.99%
White	636	96.66%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	16	2.43%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	7	1.06%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	1	0.15%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	42	4.67%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	394	74.11%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	171	72.51%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	223	75.34%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.30%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	50.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	50.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	130	18.90%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	94	18.30%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,306.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	163	17.89%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	143	15.70%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	67	14.26%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	90	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	3.57%	474	6.21%



Education

	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,213.53	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	605.01	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	4	50.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	4	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	65	10.60%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	8	12.31%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	26	40.00%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	27	41.54%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	6.15%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	1.54%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	21	32.31%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	30	46.15%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	1	1.54%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.3	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Hettinger	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	4	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	4	100.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	7	1.13%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	21	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	7	33.33%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	2	9.52%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	14.29%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	7	33.33%	3,642	24.62%
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Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Hettinger	(%)	ND	(%)	Hettinger	(%)	ND	(%)	Hettinger	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	18	2.36%	14,889	7.63%	13	1.77%	13,055	6.75%	7	0.98%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	92	12.06%	18,685	9.58%	82	11.17%	20,893	10.80%	45	6.32%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	303	43.98%	35,352	29.00%	300	44.58%	33,924	28.22%	263	43.40%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	5.00%	367	4.39%	1	4.55%	382	4.82%	2	7.14%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	1	4.55%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	3.03%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	2.70%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	90	13.49%	28,111	17.06%	61	9.52%	27,772	17.06%	41	6.60%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	4	1.64%	1,167	3.00%	2	0.81%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	19	2.85%	6,966	4.22%	12	1.87%	341	4.51%	8	1.29%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	1	4.55%	644	8.12%	2	7.14%	603	7.90%

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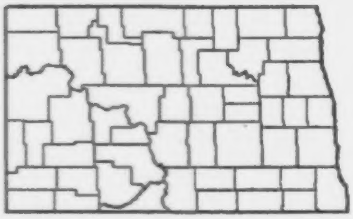
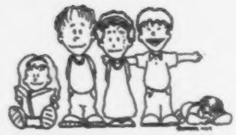


Kidder County

County Seat :	Steele
State Population Rank :	41
Land Area (square miles) :	1,351.6
Number of Households :	1,047
Number of Families :	802

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Kidder	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,798	0.44%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	164	5.86%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	267	9.54%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	219	7.83%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	692	24.73%	171,034	26.99%
White	690	99.71%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	0	0.00%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.29%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3	0.43%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	71	7.75%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	386	75.39%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	152	62.50%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	234	83.76%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	3	0.43%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	100.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	174	23.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	129	22.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$19,076.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	204	22.77%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	137	15.29%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	48	10.06%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	9	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	45	9.43%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	111	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	3.70%	474	6.21%



	Kidder	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,857.27	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	497.92	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	3	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
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Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	50	9.77%	13,934	12.40%
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Specific Learning Disability	26	52.00%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	3	6.00%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.7	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	9	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	22.22%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	6	66.67%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	8	1.23%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	102	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	9	8.82%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	83	81.37%	784	5.30%
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	Kidder	(%)	ND	(%)	Kidder	(%)	ND	(%)	Kidder	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	11	1.36%	14,889	7.63%	14	1.77%	13,055	6.75%	3	0.40%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	70	8.67%	18,685	9.58%	62	7.86%	20,893	10.80%	73	9.71%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	238	40.20%	35,352	29.00%	228	41.08%	33,924	28.22%	220	43.56%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	6.90%	367	4.39%	3	17.65%	382	4.82%	1	3.70%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	2.63%	64	1.09%	2	5.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	64	9.14%	28,111	17.06%	56	8.22%	27,772	17.06%	43	6.62%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	9	4.43%	1,167	3.00%	3	1.52%	957	2.50%	2	1.11%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	15	2.14%	6,966	4.22%	31	4.55%	7,341	4.51%	23	3.54%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	4	13.79%	631	7.55%	2	11.76%	644	8.12%	3	11.11%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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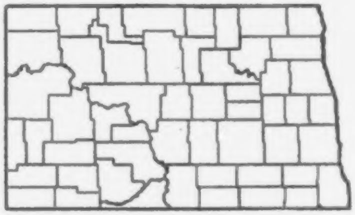


LaMoure County

County Seat :	LaMoure
State Population Rank :	27
Land Area (square miles) :	1,147.2
Number of Households :	1,811
Number of Families :	1,294

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	4,700	0.74%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	285	6.06%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	450	9.57%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	360	7.66%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,164	24.77%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,153	99.05%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	8	0.69%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	3	0.26%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	6	0.52%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	81	5.53%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	620	67.42%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	250	56.40%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	370	74.86%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	5	0.43%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	4	80.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	20.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

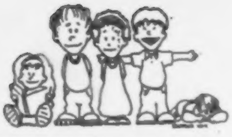
	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	188	15.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	147	15.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$22,178.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	240	16.40%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	146	9.98%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	8	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	109	13.46%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	25	3.09%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	88	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	8.33%	474	6.21%



	LaMoure	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,654.31	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,042.55	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	18	94.74%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	18	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	104	10.00%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	15	14.42%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	43	41.35%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	42	40.38%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	3.85%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	4	3.85%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	54	51.92%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	32	30.77%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	5	4.81%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.8	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	11	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	3	27.27%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	5	45.45%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	17	1.55%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	63	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	22	34.92%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	5	7.94%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	23	36.51%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	10	15.87%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	3	4.76%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	18	6.59%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	LaMoure	(%)	ND	(%)	LaMoure	(%)	ND	(%)	LaMoure	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	38	2.83%	14,889	7.63%	25	1.92%	13,055	6.75%	17	1.35%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	129	9.59%	18,685	9.58%	91	6.98%	20,893	10.80%	89	7.05%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	432	39.24%	35,352	29.00%	385	35.32%	33,924	28.22%	409	39.33%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	4.76%	367	4.39%	2	4.35%	382	4.82%	1	4.17%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	2.38%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.59%	64	1.09%	1	1.85%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	118	10.06%	28,111	17.06%	89	7.86%	27,772	17.06%	80	7.31%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	4	0.94%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.25%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	7	0.60%	6,966	4.22%	13	1.15%	7,341	4.51%	15	1.37%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	3	6.52%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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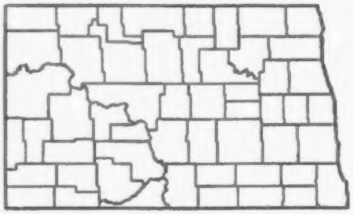


Logan County

County Seat :	Napoleon
State Population Rank :	46
Land Area (square miles) :	992.7
Number of Households :	872
Number of Families :	653

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Logan	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Total Population, 1999	2,268	0.36%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	132	5.82%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	184	8.11%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	157	6.92%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	505	22.27%	171,034	26.99%
White	503	99.60%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	2	0.40%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	0	0.00%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	4	0.79%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Logan	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	30	4.25%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	352	69.89%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	148	65.54%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	204	73.04%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	1	0.20%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement.	1	100.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

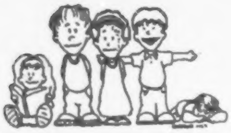
	Logan	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	123	22.40%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	90	21.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,385.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	115	16.31%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	50	7.09%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Logan	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	82	23.63%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	1	NA	1,2[illegible]	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	5	1.44%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Logan	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	83	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Logan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,923.84	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	460.55	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	2	66.67%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	2	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	65	14.01%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	1	1.54%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	25	38.46%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	33	50.77%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	6	9.23%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	1.54%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	18	27.69%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	35	53.85%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	8	12.31%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.6	NA	20.6	NA

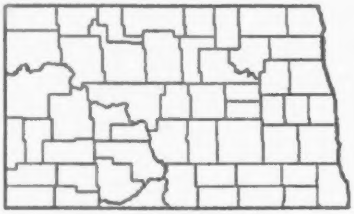
Children At Risk

	Logan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	1	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	1	100.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	3	0.63%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	102	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	8	7.84%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	88	86.27%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	4	3.92%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	2	1.96%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Logan	(%)	ND	(%)	Logan	(%)	ND	(%)	Logan	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	6	1.01%	14,889	7.63%	3	0.52%	13,055	6.75%	1	0.18%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	49	8.21%	18,685	9.58%	51	8.81%	20,893	10.80%	43	7.83%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	198	39.92%	35,352	29.00%	192	38.79%	33,924	28.22%	176	38.68%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	4.35%	367	4.39%	2	7.69%	382	4.82%	2	11.76%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	4.35%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	2.44%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	45	8.70%	28,111	17.06%	54	10.82%	27,772	17.06%	42	8.88%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	1	0.55%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	6	1.16%	6,966	4.22%	5	1.00%	7,341	4.51%	1	0.21%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	8.70%	631	7.55%	2	7.69%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

North Dakota



McHenry County

County Seat :	Towner
State Population Rank :	21
Land Area (square miles) :	1,874.2
Number of Households :	2,330
Number of Families :	1,678

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	5,962	0.94%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	351	5.89%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	579	9.71%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	454	7.61%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,471	24.67%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,445	98.23%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	17	1.16%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	9	0.61%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	8	0.54%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	181	10.23%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	841	67.18%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	358	59.50%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	483	72.88%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.27%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	4	100.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

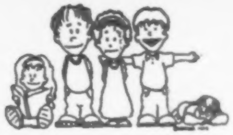
	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	368	24.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	250	20.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$23,271.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	371	21.04%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	189	10.72%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	11	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	151	14.70%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	20	1.95%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	185	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	4	7.55%	474	6.21%



Education

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,981.18	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,147.80	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	48	90.57%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	48	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	162	13.71%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	24	14.81%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	60	37.04%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	70	43.21%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	8	4.94%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	5	3.09%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	71	43.83%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	62	38.27%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	10	6.17%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.8	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	McHenry	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	27	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	14.81%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	13	48.15%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	17	1.23%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	71	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	23	32.39%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	7	9.86%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	4	5.63%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	33	46.48%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	4	5.63%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	9	2.90%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	McHenry	(%)	ND	(%)	McHenry	(%)	ND	(%)	McHenry	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	81	4.86%	14,889	7.63%	72	4.41%	13,055	6.75%	48	3.01%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	215	12.91%	18,685	9.58%	237	14.50%	20,893	10.80%	234	14.66%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	423	34.50%	35,352	29.00%	385	32.82%	33,924	28.22%	400	34.63%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	1.64%	367	4.39%	1	1.59%	382	4.82%	1	1.89%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.41%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	231	15.92%	28,111	17.06%	240	16.93%	27,772	17.06%	230	16.62%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	4	0.93%	1,167	3.00%	3	0.70%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	83	5.72%	6,966	4.22%	49	3.46%	7,341	4.51%	47	3.40%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	7	11.48%	631	7.55%	2	3.17%	644	8.12%	4	7.55%	603	7.90%

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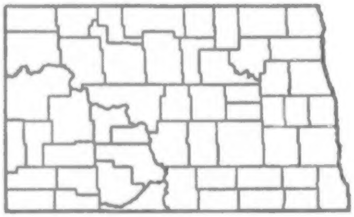


McIntosh County

County Seat :	Ashley
State Population Rank :	35
Land Area (square miles) :	975.3
Number of Households :	1,426
Number of Families :	1,009

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	3,397	0.54%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	169	4.97%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	251	7.39%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	164	4.83%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	616	18.13%	171,034	26.99%
White	605	98.21%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	9	1.46%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.32%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	2	0.32%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	53	6.07%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	423	86.76%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	198	81.31%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	225	91.56%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.32%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	100.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

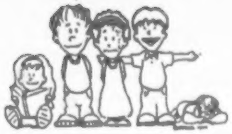
	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	179	27.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	119	24.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,459.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	125	14.19%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	77	8.74%	12,768	7.37%

Child Care

	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	10	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	86	18.94%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	22	4.85%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (W'C) Participants, FY 2000	109	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	7.14%	474	6.21%



	McIntosh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,233.68	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	551.01	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	9	90.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	9	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	49	8.91%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	3	6.12%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	25	51.02%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	18	36.73%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	3	6.12%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	2.04%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	20	40.82%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	19	38.78%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	9	18.37%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.5	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	1	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	0	0.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	10	1.71%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	51	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	12	23.53%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	7	13.73%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	5.88%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	22	43.14%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	7	13.73%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	McIntosh	(%)	ND	(%)	McIntosh	(%)	ND	(%)	McIntosh	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	14	1.93%	14,889	7.63%	10	1.46%	13,055	6.75%	4	0.60%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	76	10.45%	18,685	9.58%	90	13.18%	20,893	10.80%	88	13.25%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	247	41.51%	35,352	29.00%	229	39.21%	33,924	28.22%	227	40.83%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	4	12.90%	367	4.39%	3	12.50%	382	4.82%	3	10.71%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	1.45%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	80	12.46%	28,111	17.06%	84	13.98%	27,772	17.06%	65	11.13%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.42%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	4	1.90%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	10	1.56%	6,966	4.22%	8	1.33%	7,341	4.51%	3	0.51%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	3.23%	631	7.55%	1	4.17%	644	8.12%	1	3.57%	603	7.90%

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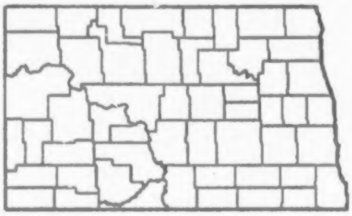


McKenzie County

County Seat :	Watford
State Population Rank :	24
Land Area (square miles) :	2,742.2
Number of Households :	1,999
Number of Families :	1,460

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	5,541	0.87%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	531	9.58%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	660	11.91%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	470	8.48%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,753	31.64%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,283	73.19%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	469	26.75%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.06%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	36	2.05%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	272	12.88%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	877	68.19%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	393	61.83%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	484	73.35%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	13	0.74%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	11	84.62%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	15.38%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

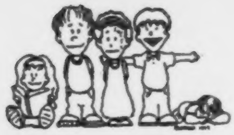
	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	464	25.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	330	25.40%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,718.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	250	11.91%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	216	10.29%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	12	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	156	12.09%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	26	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	150	11.63%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	114	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	5	7.46%	474	6.21%



Education

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$7,491.50	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,097.50	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	37	82.22%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	37	100.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	156	13.94%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	12	7.69%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	59	37.82%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	77	49.36%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	8	5.13%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	1.28%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	36	23.08%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	86	55.13%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	14	8.97%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	McKenzie	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	21	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	9.52%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	11	52.38%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	10	0.60%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	103	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	33	32.04%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	19	18.45%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	5	4.85%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	21	20.39%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	25	24.27%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	8	2.32%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	McKenzie	(%)	ND	(%)	McKenzie	(%)	ND	(%)	McKenzie	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	356	18.14%	14,889	7.63%	338	17.40%	13,055	6.75%	339	17.98%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	281	14.32%	18,685	9.58%	286	14.72%	20,893	10.80%	306	16.23%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	493	41.46%	35,352	29.00%	327	27.66%	33,924	28.22%	451	40.74%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	13	15.48%	367	4.39%	5	7.58%	382	4.82%	4	5.97%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	1	1.52%	68	0.86%	3	4.48%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.54%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	3	4.41%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	619	35.60%	28,111	17.06%	532	31.06%	27,772	17.06%	582	35.04%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	24	6.65%	1,167	3.00%	9	2.33%	957	2.50%	15	4.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	32	1.84%	6,966	4.22%	66	3.85%	7,341	4.51%	31	1.87%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	11	13.10%	631	7.55%	8	12.12%	644	8.12%	15	22.39%	603	7.90%

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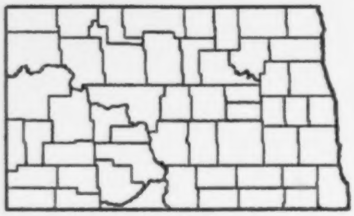
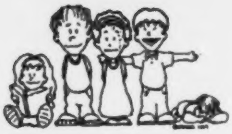


McLean County

County Seat :	Washburn
State Population Rank :	14
Land Area (square miles) :	2,110.4
Number of Households :	3,606
Number of Families :	2,649

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	McLean	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	9,603	1.52%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	624	6.50%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,009	10.51%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	786	8.18%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,569	26.75%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,283	88.87%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	277	10.78%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	9	0.35%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	17	0.66%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	321	10.51%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,459	67.44%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	631	60.86%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	828	72.46%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	20	0.78%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	11	55.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	9	45.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	425	15.90%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	293	14.00%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,957.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	392	12.94%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	280	9.24%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	19	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	238	13.21%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	14	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	70	3.88%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	248	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	7	7.45%	474	6.21%



Education

	McLean	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,897.73	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	2,006.92	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	38	56.72%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	22	57.89%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	16	42.11%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	229	11.18%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	28	12.23%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	103	44.98%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	88	38.43%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	10	4.37%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	9	3.93%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	100	43.67%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	86	37.55%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	18	7.86%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.4	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	McLean	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	24	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	7	29.17%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	13	54.17%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	116	4.80%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	129	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	34	26.36%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	15	11.63%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	55	42.64%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	25	19.38%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	10	1.88%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	McLean	(%)	ND	(%)	McLean	(%)	ND	(%)	McLean	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	220	7.72%	14,889	7.63%	171	6.05%	13,055	6.75%	127	4.58%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	232	8.14%	18,685	9.58%	259	9.16%	20,893	10.80%	298	10.75%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	622	27.78%	35,352	29.00%	583	27.24%	33,924	28.22%	598	29.44%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	10	11.11%	367	4.39%	5	5.75%	382	4.82%	4	4.26%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.76%	64	1.09%	1	0.85%	73	1.23%	2	1.52%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	294	11.75%	28,111	17.06%	322	13.03%	27,772	17.06%	344	14.22%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	9	1.08%	1,167	3.00%	6	0.74%	957	2.50%	17	2.27%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	43	1.72%	6,966	4.22%	29	1.17%	7,341	4.51%	37	1.53%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	9	10.00%	631	7.55%	12	13.79%	644	8.12%	9	9.57%	603	7.90%

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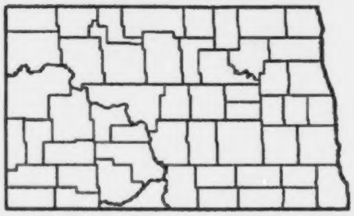

Mercer County

County Seat :	Stanton
State Population Rank :	15
Land Area (square miles) :	1,045.4
Number of Households :	3,347
Number of Families :	2,539

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	9,210	1.45%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	827	8.98%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,092	11.86%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	731	7.94%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,785	30.24%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,615	93.90%	153,034	89.48%
Black	9	0.32%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	132	4.74%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	30	1.08%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	38	1.36%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	260	8.18%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,491	65.46%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	719	57.16%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	772	73.19%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	11	0.39%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	11	100.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	246	8.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	172	8.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$41,591.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	246	7.74%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	75	2.36%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	16	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	270	12.96%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	0.72%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	108	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	3	4.35%	474	6.21%

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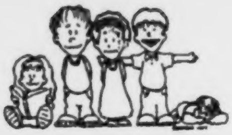

Education

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,135.12	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	2,150.31	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	3	42.86%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	3	100.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	258	12.30%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	21	8.14%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	81	31.40%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	137	53.10%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	19	7.36%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	5	1.94%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	45	17.44%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	153	59.30%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	30	11.63%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.1	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Mercer	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	23	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	5	21.74%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	14	60.87%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	95	3.58%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	262	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	82	31.30%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	68	25.95%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	0.38%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	34	12.98%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	77	29.39%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	7	1.45%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Mercer	(%)	ND	(%)	Mercer	(%)	ND	(%)	Mercer	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	84	2.72%	14,889	7.63%	92	3.02%	13,055	6.75%	81	2.72%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	190	6.15%	18,685	9.58%	168	5.51%	20,893	10.80%	182	6.12%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	260	11.33%	35,352	29.00%	234	10.78%	33,924	28.22%	248	12.00%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	3	3.75%	367	4.39%	2	2.56%	382	4.82%	2	2.90%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	2	2.94%	64	1.09%	4	4.26%	73	1.23%	2	2.70%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	210	7.59%	28,111	17.06%	202	7.42%	27,772	17.06%	204	7.70%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	8	1.01%	1,167	3.00%	5	0.65%	957	2.50%	6	0.77%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	30	1.08%	6,966	4.22%	36	1.32%	7,341	4.51%	42	1.58%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	7	8.75%	631	7.55%	2	2.56%	644	8.12%	7	10.14%	603	7.90%

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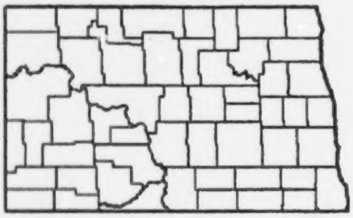
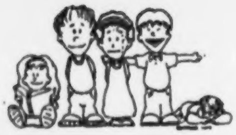


Morton County

County Seat :	Mandan
State Population Rank :	5
Land Area (square miles) :	1,926.4
Number of Households :	9,007
Number of Families :	6,600

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Morton	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	24,568	3.88%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,741	7.09%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	2,613	10.64%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	2,103	8.56%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	6,882	28.01%	171,034	26.99%
White	6,604	95.96%	153,034	89.48%
Black	11	0.16%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	240	3.49%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	27	0.39%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	63	0.92%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	961	13.42%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	3,368	78.77%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,519	71.23%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	1,849	84.96%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	91	1.32%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	51	56.04%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	40	43.96%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	1,240	18.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	795	15.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,981.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	972	13.74%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	405	5.72%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	84	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	1,114	23.37%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	51	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	255	5.35%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	830	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	20	6.64%	474	6.21%



Education

	Morton	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,279.03	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	4,928.97	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	103	81.10%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	103	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	646	13.37%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	100	15.48%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	284	43.96%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	239	37.00%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	23	3.56%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	31	4.80%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	315	48.76%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	206	31.89%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	56	8.67%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.5	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Morton	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	196	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	30	15.31%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	125	63.78%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	220	3.41%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	720	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	126	17.50%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	222	30.83%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	0.42%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	193	26.81%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	176	24.44%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	39	2.89%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Morton	(%)	ND	(%)	Morton	(%)	ND	(%)	Morton	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	581	7.63%	14,889	7.63%	547	7.18%	13,055	6.75%	425	5.64%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	832	10.93%	18,685	9.58%	967	12.69%	20,893	10.80%	1,044	13.85%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,631	31.25%	35,352	29.00%	1,583	29.90%	33,924	28.22%	1,565	30.83%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	12	3.88%	367	4.39%	15	4.79%	382	4.82%	11	3.65%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	2	0.66%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	4	1.88%	64	1.09%	5	2.46%	73	1.23%	2	0.85%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	1,135	17.30%	28,111	17.06%	1,191	18.21%	27,772	17.06%	1,182	18.31%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	148	8.29%	1,167	3.00%	81	4.12%	957	2.50%	57	3.01%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	317	4.83%	6,966	4.22%	390	5.96%	7,341	4.51%	346	5.36%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	22	7.12%	631	7.55%	30	9.58%	644	8.12%	21	6.98%	603	7.90%

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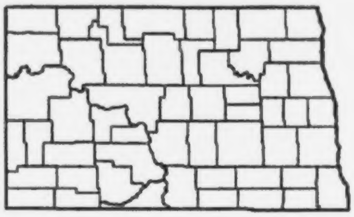
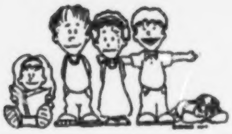


Mountrail County

County Seat :	Stanley
State Population Rank :	20
Land Area (square miles) :	1,824.0
Number of Households :	2,405
Number of Families :	1,718

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Mountrail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	6,516	1.03%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	512	7.86%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	729	11.19%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	570	8.75%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,925	29.54%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,225	63.64%	153,034	89.48%
Black	3	0.16%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	690	35.84%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	8	0.42%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	26	1.35%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	370	17.55%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	955	73.40%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	434	68.43%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	521	77.54%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	15	0.78%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	11	73.33%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	4	26.67%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	463	24.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	311	21.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$25,000.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	356	17.16%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	272	13.11%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	16	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	224	16.56%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	11	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	55	4.07%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	107	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	5	5.38%	474	6.21%



Education

	Mountrail	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,094.68	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,603.36	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	79	88.76%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	79	100.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	257	16.23%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	15	5.84%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	111	43.19%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	122	47.47%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	9	3.50%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	4	1.56%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	101	39.30%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	117	45.53%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	20	7.78%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.5	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	21	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	19.05%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	15	71.43%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	72	3.98%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	68	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	19	27.94%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	11.76%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	8	11.76%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	12	17.65%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	21	30.88%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	9	1.99%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Mountrail	(%)	ND	(%)	Mountrail	(%)	ND	(%)	Mountrail	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	320	15.00%	14,889	7.63%	312	14.68%	13,055	6.75%	361	17.27%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	231	10.83%	18,685	9.58%	212	9.98%	20,893	10.80%	271	12.97%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	923	56.28%	35,352	29.00%	881	53.72%	33,924	28.22%	917	58.07%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	14	14.29%	367	4.39%	6	8.00%	382	4.82%	7	7.53%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	2	2.04%	52	0.62%	1	1.33%	68	0.86%	1	1.08%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	6	6.06%	64	1.09%	1	1.37%	73	1.23%	2	2.41%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	434	23.35%	28,111	17.06%	441	23.93%	27,772	17.06%	510	28.16%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	27	5.49%	1,167	3.00%	17	3.46%	957	2.50%	31	6.26%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	38	2.04%	6,966	4.22%	31	1.68%	7,341	4.51%	41	2.26%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	10	10.20%	631	7.55%	15	20.00%	644	8.12%	10	10.75%	603	7.90%

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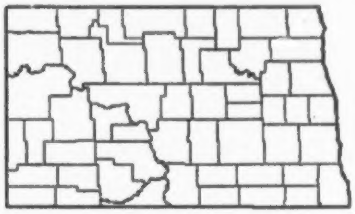


Nelson County

County Seat :	Lakota
State Population Rank :	33
Land Area (square miles) :	981.7
Number of Households :	1,520
Number of Families :	1,020

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1990 estimates

Population

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	3,656	0.58%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	186	5.09%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	302	8.26%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	230	6.29%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	761	20.82%	171,034	26.99%
White	755	99.21%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.13%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	3	0.39%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.26%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	4	0.53%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	84	8.18%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	481	76.72%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	196	79.08%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	285	75.09%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.53%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	25.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	75.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

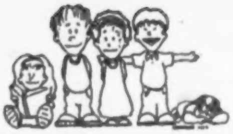
	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	120	15.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	90	14.60%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,952.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	153	14.93%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	60	5.85%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	9	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	112	20.82%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	2.79%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	99	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,004.28	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	721.63	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	8	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	8	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	76	10.48%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	8	10.53%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	39	51.32%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	24	31.58%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	6.58%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	2.63%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	29	38.16%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	36	47.37%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	4	5.26%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.8	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Nelson	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	26	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	7	26.92%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	12	46.15%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	19	2.65%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	74	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	19	25.68%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	2	2.70%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	33	44.59%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	3	4.05%	3,642	24.62%
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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Nelson	(%)	ND	(%)	Nelson	(%)	ND	(%)	Nelson	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	20	2.28%	14,889	7.63%	12	1.42%	13,055	6.75%	21	2.56%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	73	8.31%	18,685	9.58%	69	8.15%	20,893	10.80%	51	6.23%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	269	35.30%	35,352	29.00%	291	40.53%	33,924	28.22%	245	34.90%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	1	3.85%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	1	3.85%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	1.32%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	75	9.70%	28,111	17.06%	61	8.20%	27,772	17.06%	54	7.52%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.37%	1,167	3.00%	2	0.71%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	44	5.69%	6,966	4.22%	30	4.03%	7,341	4.51%	43	5.99%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	2.63%	631	7.55%	2	7.69%	644	8.12%	1	4.76%	603	7.90%

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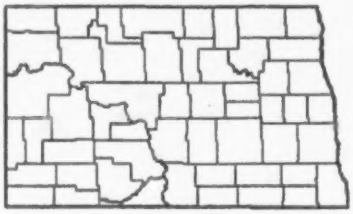
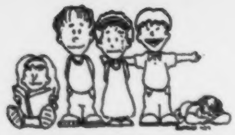


Oliver County

County Seat :	Center
State Population Rank :	49
Land Area (square miles) :	723.6
Number of Households :	734
Number of Families :	584

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Oliver	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,158	0.34%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	160	7.41%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	263	12.19%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	202	9.36%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	664	30.77%	171,034	26.99%
White	648	97.59%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	15	2.26%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.15%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3	0.45%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	31	3.88%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	334	65.87%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	150	62.67%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	184	68.48%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.60%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	25.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	75.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	97	14.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	76	13.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$34,327.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	60	7.86%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	70	9.17%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	4	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	24	5.15%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	0	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	5	29.41%	474	6.21%



Education

	Oliver	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,559.21	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	346.34	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	NA	NA	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	NA	NA	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	NA	NA	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	38	11.84%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	0	0.00%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	9	23.68%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	27	71.05%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	2	5.26%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	5.26%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	6	15.79%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	25	65.79%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	2	5.26%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.0	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Oliver	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	8	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	1	12.50%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	5	62.50%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	2	0.32%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	31	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	4	12.90%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	3	9.68%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	2	6.45%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	19	61.29%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	3	9.68%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	6	4.80%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Oliver	(%)	ND	(%)	Oliver	(%)	ND	(%)	Oliver	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	19	2.55%	14,889	7.63%	22	2.96%	13,055	6.75%	13	1.82%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	37	4.97%	18,685	9.58%	31	4.17%	20,893	10.80%	50	6.98%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	69	18.85%	35,352	29.00%	65	18.57%	33,924	28.22%	48	15.00%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	5.88%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	1	5.88%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	1	7.69%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	47	7.18%	28,111	17.06%	54	8.29%	27,772	17.06%	52	8.32%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	3	2.29%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	21	3.21%	6,966	4.22%	17	2.61%	7,341	4.51%	16	2.56%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	5.88%	631	7.55%	0	0.00%	644	8.12%	3	17.65%	603	7.90%

REGION VII

North Dakota

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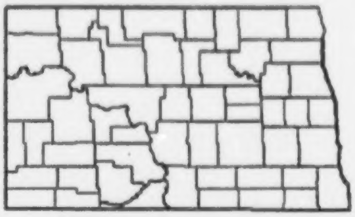


Pembina County

County Seat :	Cavalier
State Population Rank :	17
Land Area (square miles) :	1,118.8
Number of Households :	3,218
Number of Families :	2,271

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	8,351	1.32%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	561	6.72%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	827	9.90%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	652	7.81%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,168	25.96%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,095	96.63%	153,034	89.48%
Black	3	0.14%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	62	2.86%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	8	0.37%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	39	1.80%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	253	9.76%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,203	72.07%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	515	68.35%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	688	74.85%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	6	0.28%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	4	66.67%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	2	33.33%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

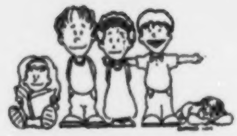
	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	329	14.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	217	12.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,182.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	371	14.42%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	101	3.93%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	21	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	418	27.48%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	25	1.64%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	365	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	6	7.69%	474	6.21%



Education

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,497.14	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,785.80	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	12	66.67%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	12	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	226	12.48%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	17	7.52%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	94	41.59%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	103	45.58%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	12	5.31%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	20	8.85%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	60	26.55%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	89	39.38%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	33	14.60%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.3	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Pembina	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	46	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	9	19.57%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	30	65.22%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	36	1.76%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	237	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	64	27.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	20	8.44%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	53	22.36%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	100	42.19%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	11	2.44%	780	2.11%

REGION IV

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Pembina	(%)	ND	(%)	Pembina	(%)	ND	(%)	Pembina	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	119	4.79%	14,889	7.63%	87	3.57%	13,055	6.75%	49	2.08%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	237	9.54%	18,685	9.58%	200	8.22%	20,893	10.80%	179	7.60%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	427	22.30%	35,352	29.00%	426	22.58%	33,924	28.22%	426	24.71%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	5	5.21%	367	4.39%	5	6.85%	382	4.82%	6	7.69%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	4	4.17%	52	0.62%	1	1.37%	68	0.86%	1	1.28%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.81%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	1.04%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	386	17.80%	28,111	17.06%	354	16.75%	27,772	17.06%	289	14.17%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	18	2.92%	1,167	3.00%	4	0.64%	957	2.50%	6	0.96%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	93	4.29%	6,966	4.22%	86	4.07%	7,341	4.51%	74	3.63%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	5	5.21%	631	7.55%	8	10.96%	644	8.12%	5	6.41%	603	7.90%

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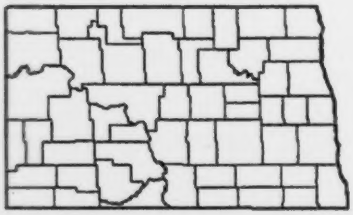

Pierce County

County Seat : Rugby
State Population Rank : 28
Land Area (square miles) : 1,017.9
Number of Households : 1,793
Number of Families : 1,238

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Pierce	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	4,594	0.72%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	252	5.49%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	418	9.10%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	341	7.42%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,077	23.44%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,056	98.05%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	8	0.74%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	14	1.30%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	0	0.00%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	145	11.27%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	622	81.67%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	249	88.76%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	373	76.94%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.37%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	4	100.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	233	20.40%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	158	17.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$26,167.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	295	22.92%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	52	4.04%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	11	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	159	21.49%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	30	4.05%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	152	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	5	11.36%	474	6.21%

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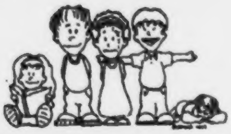

	Pierce	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,037.09	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	798.35	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	12	80.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	12	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	102	12.47%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	10	9.80%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	44	43.14%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	41	40.20%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	7	6.86%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	1	0.98%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	28	27.45%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	55	53.92%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	4	3.92%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.6	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	16	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	3	18.75%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	10	62.50%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	37	3.66%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	76	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	26	34.21%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	9	11.84%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	31	40.79%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	10	13.16%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	5	1.79%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Pierce	(%)	ND	(%)	Pierce	(%)	ND	(%)	Pierce	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	33	2.69%	14,889	7.63%	30	2.46%	13,055	6.75%	39	3.31%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	170	13.88%	18,685	9.58%	202	16.56%	20,893	10.80%	201	17.06%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	287	30.15%	35,352	29.00%	254	26.85%	33,924	28.22%	277	30.41%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	3	5.17%	367	4.39%	3	6.25%	382	4.82%	2	4.55%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	157	14.84%	28,111	17.06%	154	14.67%	27,772	17.06%	168	16.62%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	0.57%	1,167	3.00%	6	1.74%	957	2.50%	1	0.29%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	28	2.65%	6,966	4.22%	20	1.90%	7,341	4.51%	29	2.87%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	3.45%	631	7.55%	1	2.08%	644	8.12%	3	6.82%	603	7.90%

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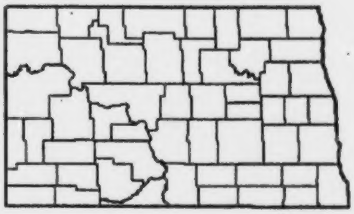
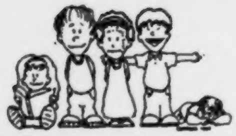


Ramsey County

County Seat :	Devils Lake
State Population Rank :	12
Land Area (square miles) :	1,186.2
Number of Households :	4,691
Number of Families :	3,163

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Ramsey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	11,944	1.88%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	841	7.04%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,136	9.51%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	917	7.68%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	3,085	25.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,731	88.53%	153,034	89.48%
Black	12	0.39%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	326	10.57%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	16	0.52%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	31	1.00%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	662	19.79%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,644	80.05%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	780	73.59%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	864	85.88%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	64	2.07%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	44	68.75%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	20	31.25%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	658	22.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	420	19.00%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,794.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	585	17.77%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	266	8.08%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	37	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	748	34.77%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	18	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	90	4.18%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	622	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	8	6.06%	474	6.21%



Education

	Ramsey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,524.06	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	2,336.67	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	62	74.70%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	30	48.39%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	22	35.48%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	10	16.13%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	341	14.70%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	38	11.14%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	135	39.59%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	153	44.87%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	15	4.40%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	36	10.56%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	75	21.99%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	166	48.68%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	37	10.85%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Ramsey	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	106	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	40	37.74%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	59	55.66%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	101	3.49%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	834	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	169	20.26%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	239	28.66%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	9	1.08%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	183	21.94%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	234	28.06%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	20	2.88%	780	2.11%

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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Ramsey	(%)	ND	(%)	Ramsey	(%)	ND	(%)	Ramsey	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	370	10.46%	14,889	7.63%	315	9.09%	13,055	6.75%	299	8.79%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	490	13.86%	18,685	9.58%	536	15.47%	20,893	10.80%	600	17.63%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	954	36.04%	35,352	29.00%	866	33.63%	33,924	28.22%	889	34.79%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	11	7.05%	367	4.39%	6	3.85%	382	4.82%	6	4.55%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	0.64%	52	0.62%	1	0.64%	68	0.86%	1	0.76%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.65%	64	1.09%	1	0.65%	73	1.23%	4	2.47%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	726	23.92%	28,111	17.06%	685	23.17%	27,772	17.06%	743	25.67%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	10	1.23%	1,167	3.00%	12	1.43%	957	2.50%	23	2.76%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	174	5.73%	6,966	4.22%	199	6.73%	7,341	4.51%	194	6.70%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	27	17.31%	631	7.55%	17	10.90%	644	8.12%	16	12.12%	603	7.90%

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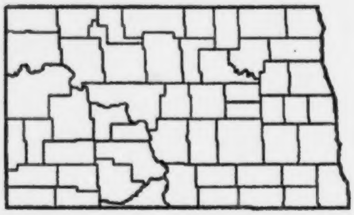


Ransom County

County Seat :	Lisbon
State Population Rank :	22
Land Area (square miles) :	862.8
Number of Households :	2,214
Number of Families :	1,555

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	5,731	0.90%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	357	6.23%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	538	9.39%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	422	7.36%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,400	24.43%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,387	99.07%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.07%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	4	0.29%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	8	0.57%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	16	1.14%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	147	9.60%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	713	72.23%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	322	72.98%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	391	71.61%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	1	0.07%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	100.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

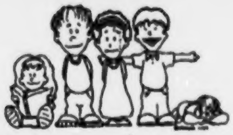
	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	157	11.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	114	10.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$31,639.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	144	9.56%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	109	7.24%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	14	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	156	15.92%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	30	3.06%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	191	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	3	5.36%	474	6.21%



Education

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,168.86	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,158.28	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	10	62.50%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	10	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	147	12.60%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	21	14.29%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	61	41.50%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	60	40.82%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	5	3.40%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	11	7.48%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	49	33.33%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	57	38.78%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	7	4.76%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.6	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Ransom	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	9	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	1	11.11%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	8	88.89%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	27	2.05%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	77	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	25	32.47%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	8	10.39%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	8	10.39%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	18	23.38%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	18	23.38%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	3	1.36%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Ransom	(%)	ND	(%)	Ransom	(%)	ND	(%)	Ransom	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	35	2.24%	14,889	7.63%	27	1.74%	13,055	6.75%	23	1.51%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	100	6.39%	18,685	9.58%	105	6.78%	20,893	10.80%	98	6.43%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	188	14.89%	35,352	29.00%	210	17.33%	33,924	28.22%	212	18.42%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	5	9.09%	367	4.39%	2	2.90%	382	4.82%	2	3.57%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	1	1.79%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.09%	64	1.09%	1	0.99%	73	1.23%	1	0.99%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	113	8.30%	28,111	17.06%	81	6.05%	27,772	17.06%	86	6.53%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	6	1.39%	1,167	3.00%	7	1.69%	957	2.50%	4	1.01%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	37	2.72%	6,966	4.22%	10	0.75%	7,341	4.51%	17	1.29%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	1.82%	631	7.55%	5	7.25%	644	8.12%	3	5.36%	603	7.90%

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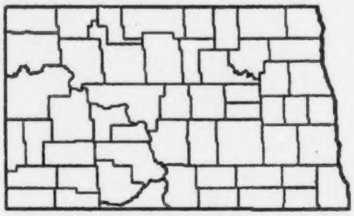
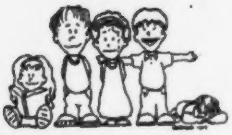


Renville County

County Seat :	Mohall
State Population Rank :	40
Land Area (square miles) :	874.8
Number of Households :	1,073
Number of Families :	785

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Renville	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,799	0.44%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	166	5.93%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	283	10.11%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	226	8.07%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	722	25.79%	171,034	26.99%
White	700	96.95%	153,034	89.48%
Black	7	0.97%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	9	1.25%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	7	0.97%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	3	0.42%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	86	9.85%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	411	69.83%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	195	61.03%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	216	77.78%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.28%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	2	100.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	102	13.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	76	13.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,833.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	127	14.77%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	48	5.58%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	76	15.42%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	1	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	5	1.01%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	64	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	5.56%	474	6.21%



	Renville	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,974.72	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	757.99	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	NA	NA	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	NA	NA	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	NA	NA	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	135	18.10%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	16	11.85%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	59	43.70%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	52	38.52%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	8	5.93%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	5	3.70%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	58	42.96%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	46	34.07%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	2	1.48%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.1	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	6	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	6	100.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	11	1.63%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	25	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	19	76.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	4.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	3	12.00%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	2	8.00%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	2	1.18%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Renville	(%)	ND	(%)	Renville	(%)	ND	(%)	Renville	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	26	3.20%	14,889	7.63%	24	3.02%	13,055	6.75%	11	1.40%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	53	6.53%	18,685	9.58%	59	7.42%	20,893	10.80%	80	10.17%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	194	24.28%	35,352	29.00%	259	35.00%	33,924	28.22%	287	38.16%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	3.85%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	3.45%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	60	8.55%	28,111	17.06%	65	9.49%	27,772	17.06%	80	11.85%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.32%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.31%	957	2.50%	3	0.99%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	6	0.85%	6,966	4.22%	6	0.88%	7,341	4.51%	9	1.33%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	3.85%	631	7.55%	1	3.85%	644	8.12%	2	11.11%	603	7.90%

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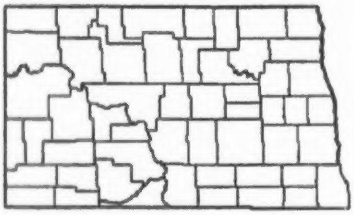

Richland County

County Seat :	Wahpeton
State Population Rank :	9
Land Area (square miles) :	1,436.9
Number of Households :	6,442
Number of Families :	4,455

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Richland	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	17,924	2.83%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,275	7.11%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,770	9.88%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	1,714	9.56%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	5,142	28.69%	171,034	26.99%
White	4,803	93.41%	153,034	89.48%
Black	12	0.23%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	277	5.39%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	50	0.97%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	24	0.47%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	538	10.94%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	2,180	71.56%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,084	65.13%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	1,096	77.92%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	45	0.88%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	36	80.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	9	20.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	649	14.60%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	430	13.20%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$31,784.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	610	12.97%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	242	5.15%	12,786	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	62	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	767	23.04%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	16	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	80	2.40%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	410	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	13	6.31%	474	6.21%

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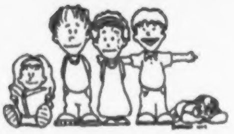

	Richland	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,187.68	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	3,120.45	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	33	49.25%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	33	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	350	11.51%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	51	14.57%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	154	44.00%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	129	36.86%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	16	4.57%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	20	5.71%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	96	27.43%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	158	45.14%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	27	7.71%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.1	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	99	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	16	16.16%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	56	56.57%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	165	3.47%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	235	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	78	33.19%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	30	12.77%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	0.43%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	65	27.66%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	61	25.96%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	9	0.71%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Richland	(%)	ND	(%)	Richland	(%)	ND	(%)	Richland	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	239	3.95%	14,889	7.63%	201	3.41%	13,055	6.75%	184	3.17%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	548	9.07%	18,685	9.58%	609	10.32%	20,893	10.80%	595	10.27%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,032	28.24%	35,352	29.00%	918	26.35%	33,924	28.22%	879	26.13%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	11	4.80%	367	4.39%	6	2.96%	382	4.82%	13	6.31%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	0.44%	52	0.62%	2	0.99%	68	0.86%	3	1.46%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.57%	64	1.09%	1	0.63%	73	1.23%	1	0.52%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	702	14.17%	28,111	17.06%	703	14.47%	27,772	17.06%	667	14.02%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	28	2.58%	1,167	3.00%	22	2.07%	957	2.50%	19	1.80%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	187	3.78%	6,966	4.22%	235	4.84%	7,341	4.51%	159	3.34%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	16	6.99%	631	7.55%	17	8.37%	644	8.12%	16	7.77%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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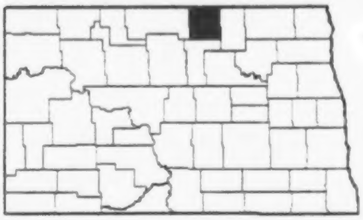
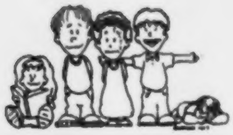


Rolette County

County Seat	Rolla
State Population Rank	10
Land Area (square miles)	902.5
Number of Households	4,624
Number of Families	3,479

Source North Dakota State Data Center 1999 estimates

	Rolette	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	14,229	2.25%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,754	12.33%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	2,172	15.26%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	1,468	10.32%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	5,668	39.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	985	17.38%	153,034	89.48%
Black	16	0.28%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	4,659	82.20%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	7	0.12%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	54	0.95%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	1,742	35.72%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,855	58.92%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	927	51.02%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	928	66.81%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	133	2.35%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	118	88.72%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	15	11.28%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	2,012	36.20%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,358	34.30%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$13,386.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	521	10.95%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,520	31.95%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	20	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	421	9.91%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	253	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	1,686	39.67%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	1,918	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	19	7.69%	474	6.21%



Education

	Rolette	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,632.88	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	3,183.89	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	330	87.77%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	40	12.12%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	290	87.88%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	304	9.21%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	30	9.87%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	133	43.75%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	130	42.76%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	11	3.62%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	14	4.61%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	72	23.68%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	159	52.30%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	30	9.87%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	18.3	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Rolette	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	51	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	12	23.53%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	34	66.67%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	81	1.50%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	263	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	28	10.65%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	34	12.93%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	92	34.98%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	109	41.44%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	112	13.22%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Rolette	(%)	ND	(%)	Rolette	(%)	ND	(%)	Rolette	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	2,515	41.67%	14,889	7.63%	2,467	40.61%	13,055	6.75%	2,248	[illegible].71%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	745	12.34%	18,685	9.58%	767	12.63%	20,893	10.80%	848	13.85%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	2,466	60.22%	35,352	29.00%	2,406	61.50%	33,924	28.22%	2,570	66.94%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	44	15.12%	367	4.39%	45	16.85%	382	4.82%	42	17.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	0.34%	52	0.62%	3	1.12%	68	0.86%	2	0.81%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	2	2.00%	64	1.09%	2	1.68%	73	1.23%	3	2.34%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	2,950	55.13%	28,111	17.06%	2,887	53.82%	27,772	17.06%	2,825	52.37%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	106	10.03%	1,167	3.00%	81	7.58%	957	2.50%	114	11.84%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	96	1.79%	6,966	4.22%	88	1.64%	7,341	4.51%	107	1.98%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	71	24.40%	631	7.55%	65	24.34%	644	8.12%	52	21.05%	603	7.90%

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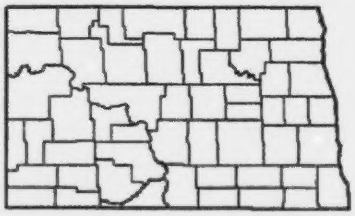


Sargent County

County Seat :	Forman
State Population Rank :	30
Land Area (square miles) :	858.8
Number of Households :	1,662
Number of Families :	1,196

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	4,288	0.68%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	266	6.20%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	406	9.47%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	346	8.07%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,087	25.35%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,079	99.26%	153,034	89.48%
Black	2	0.18%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	2	0.18%	14,401*	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	3	0.28%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	8	0.74%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	98	8.01%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	597	78.06%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	235	70.21%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	362	83.15%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	3	0.28%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	3	100.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

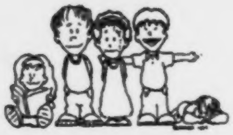
	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	123	10.90%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	88	10.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$32,310.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	141	11.59%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	83	6.82%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	8	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	100	13.46%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	8	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	33	4.44%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	107	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	2.38%	474	6.21%



Education

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,478.72	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	861.59	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	8	80.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	8	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	108	12.37%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	12	11.11%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	50	46.30%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	43	39.81%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	3	2.78%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	7	6.48%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	35	32.41%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	39	36.11%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	7	6.48%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Sargent	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	19	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	10.53%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	13	68.42%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	18	1.77%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	53	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	35	66.04%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	1.89%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	9	16.98%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	8	15.09%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Sargent	(%)	ND	(%)	Sargent	(%)	ND	(%)	Sargent	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	36	2.91%	14,889	7.63%	27	2.18%	13,055	6.75%	19	1.60%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	129	10.45%	18,685	9.58%	119	9.59%	20,893	10.80%	122	10.30%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	163	19.04%	35,352	29.00%	162	18.58%	33,924	28.22%	158	18.72%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	5	10.64%	367	4.39%	2	4.00%	382	4.82%	2	4.76%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	2.13%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	1.96%	64	1.09%	2	4.44%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	137	12.83%	28,111	17.06%	112	10.49%	27,772	17.06%	109	10.71%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	4	1.59%	957	2.50%	1	0.40%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	20	1.87%	6,966	4.22%	23	2.15%	7,341	4.51%	32	3.14%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	4.26%	631	7.55%	4	8.00%	644	8.12%	2	4.76%	603	7.90%

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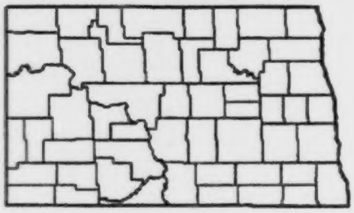
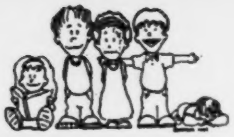


Sheridan County

County Seat :	McClusky
State Population Rank :	51
Land Area (square miles) :	971.8
Number of Households :	666
Number of Families :	503

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Sheridan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	1,665	0.26%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	99	5.95%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	133	7.99%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	103	6.19%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	355	21.32%	171,034	26.99%
White	351	98.87%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	5	1.41%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	0	0.00%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	1	0.28%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	31	6.01%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	253	53.36%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	93	36.56%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	160	63.13%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	1	0.28%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	100.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	122	32.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	83	29.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$22,411.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	92	17.73%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	56	10.79%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	6	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	30	11.90%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	60	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	1	11.11%	474	6.21%



	Sheridan	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$6,133.42	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	205.70	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	11	84.62%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	11	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	37	18.05%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	3	8.11%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	11	29.73%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	19	51.35%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	10.81%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	12	32.43%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	20	54.05%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	3	8.11%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	18.2	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	4	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	2	50.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	2	50.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	2	0.60%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	9	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	2	22.22%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	3	33.33%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	2	22.22%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	1	11.11%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	1	11.11%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	2	2.11%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Sheridan	(%)	ND	(%)	Sheridan	(%)	ND	(%)	Sheridan	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	17	4.19%	14,889	7.63%	14	3.59%	13,055	6.75%	9	2.34%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	47	11.58%	18,685	9.58%	75	19.23%	20,893	10.80%	66	17.19%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	114	47.30%	35,352	29.00%	105	45.45%	33,924	28.22%	104	50.73%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	6.67%	367	4.39%	0	0.00%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	6.67%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	5.26%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	70	19.72%	28,111	17.06%	67	19.65%	27,772	17.06%	60	17.91%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	1	1.41%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	6	1.69%	6,966	4.22%	8	2.35%	7,341	4.51%	4	1.19%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	2	13.33%	631	7.55%	0	0.00%	644	8.12%	2	22.22%	603	7.90%

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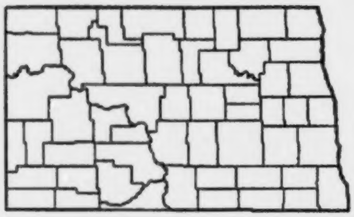
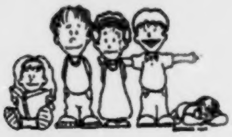


Sioux County

County Seat : Fort Yates
State Population Rank : 31
Land Area (square miles) : 1,094.2
Number of Households : 1,129
Number of Families : 915

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Sioux	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	4,156	0.66%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	572	13.76%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	736	17.71%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	469	11.28%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,865	44.87%	171,034	26.99%
White	209	11.21%	153,034	89.48%
Black	3	0.16%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1,647	88.31%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	7	0.38%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	16	0.86%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	518	31.96%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	486	64.81%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	274	60.22%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	212	70.75%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	37	1.98%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	24	64.86%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	13	35.14%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	753	40.80%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	557	41.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$14,395.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	243	14.88%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	424	25.96%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	36	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	161	11.43%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	84	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	289	20.51%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	4	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	9	9.18%	474	6.21%



	Sioux	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$9,460.63	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	515.73	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	133	97.08%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	133	100.00%	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	153	31.35%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	31	20.26%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	56	36.60%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	60	39.22%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	6	3.92%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	3	1.96%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	64	41.83%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	57	37.25%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	15	9.80%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	15.2	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	1	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	0	0.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	56	3.15%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	36	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	7	19.44%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	0	0.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	11	30.56%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	8	22.22%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	10	27.78%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	20	7.55%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Sioux	(%)	ND	(%)	Sioux	(%)	ND	(%)	Sioux	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	795	40.54%	14,889	7.63%	820	41.16%	13,055	6.75%	721	35.92%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	300	15.30%	18,685	9.58%	372	18.67%	20,893	10.80%	443	22.07%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,048	78.86%	35,352	29.00%	981	71.71%	33,924	28.22%	1,043	80.42%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	19	19.19%	367	4.39%	18	17.31%	382	4.82%	22	22.45%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	3	2.88%	68	0.86%	3	3.06%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	3.23%	64	1.09%	6	23.08%	73	1.23%	1	3.57%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	974	55.82%	28,111	17.06%	1,047	59.25%	27,772	17.06%	1,058	59.54%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	44	11.96%	1,167	3.00%	46	11.92%	957	2.50%	30	7.92%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	4	0.23%	6,966	4.22%	3	0.17%	7,341	4.51%	1	0.06%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	18	18.18%	631	7.55%	21	20.19%	644	8.12%	21	21.43%	603	7.90%

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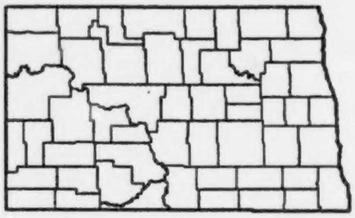
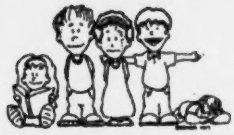


Slope County

County Seat :	Amidon
State Population Rank :	53
Land Area (square miles) :	1,218.0
Number of Households :	326
Number of Families :	243

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Slope	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	887	0.14%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	54	6.09%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	95	10.71%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	74	8.34%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	238	26.83%	171,034	26.99%
White	235	98.74%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	2	0.84%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	1	0.42%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	2	0.84%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	15	5.51%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	124	59.68%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	61	65.57%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	63	53.97%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	0	0.00%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	0	0.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	34	14.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	29	14.90%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$21,071.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	42	15.27%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	29	10.55%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	0	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	0	0.00%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	0	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	0	0.00%	474	6.21%



	Slope	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$8,267.91	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	27.31	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	3	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	3	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	3	10.00%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	2	66.67%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	1	33.33%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	0	0.00%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	0	0.00%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	2	66.67%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	1	33.33%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	0	0.00%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	NA	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	3	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	1	33.33%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	3	1.35%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	10	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	0	0.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	2	20.00%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	8	80.00%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	0	0.00%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Slope	(%)	ND	(%)	Slope	(%)	ND	(%)	Slope	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	5	1.99%	14,889	7.63%	4	1.53%	13,055	6.75%	1	0.39%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	9	3.59%	18,685	9.58%	20	7.63%	20,893	10.80%	19	7.34%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	0	0.00%	35,352	29.00%	0	0.00%	33,924	28.22%	0	0.00%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	2	16.67%	367	4.39%	2	20.00%	382	4.82%	3	42.86%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	10	4.59%	28,111	17.06%	10	4.42%	27,772	17.06%	14	6.28%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	0	0.00%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	0	0.00%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	0	0.00%	6,966	4.22%	4	1.77%	7,341	4.51%	8	3.59%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	1	10.00%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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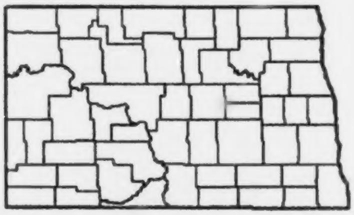
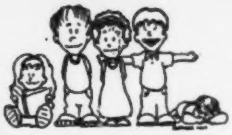


Stark County

County Seat :	Dickinson
State Population Rank :	6
Land Area (square miles) :	1,338.3
Number of Households :	8,353
Number of Families :	5,892

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Stark	[%]	North Dakota	[%]
Population				
Total Population, 1999	22,490	3.55%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,731	7.70%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	2,358	10.48%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	1,864	8.29%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	6,339	28.19%	171,034	26.99%
White	6,159	97.16%	153,034	89.48%
Black	14	0.22%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	92	1.45%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	74	1.17%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	105	1.66%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	900	13.29%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	3,381	70.98%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,638	66.54%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	1,743	75.16%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	86	1.36%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	49	56.98%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	37	43.02%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	1,051	17.00%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	716	15.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,301.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	1,007	15.04%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	364	5.44%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	117	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	1,377	31.00%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	15	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	75	1.69%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	1,132	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	21	7.89%	474	6.21%



Education

	Stark	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,342.96	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	3,970.73	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	82	85.42%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	71	86.59%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	11	13.41%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	459	11.54%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	71	15.47%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	157	34.20%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	195	42.48%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	36	7.84%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	26	5.66%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	144	31.37%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	148	32.24%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	52	11.33%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Stark	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	163	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	34	20.86%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	87	53.37%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	289	4.85%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	656	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	149	22.71%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	145	22.10%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	52	7.93%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	121	18.45%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	189	28.81%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	23	1.82%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Stark	(%)	ND	(%)	Stark	(%)	ND	(%)	Stark	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	452	6.31%	14,889	7.63%	299	4.18%	13,055	6.75%	285	4.07%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	882	12.31%	18,685	9.58%	1,039	14.53%	20,893	10.80%	1,064	15.18%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,505	30.68%	35,352	29.00%	1,486	31.43%	33,924	28.22%	1,450	30.69%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	8	3.00%	367	4.39%	6	2.29%	382	4.82%	8	3.01%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	3	1.12%	52	0.62%	2	0.76%	68	0.86%	2	0.75%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	1	0.51%	64	1.09%	2	0.99%	73	1.23%	2	0.94%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	1,032	16.86%	28,111	17.06%	974	16.00%	27,772	17.06%	989	16.61%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	16	0.99%	1,167	3.00%	23	1.42%	957	2.50%	25	1.55%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	396	6.47%	6,966	4.22%	275	4.52%	7,341	4.51%	274	4.60%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	26	9.74%	631	7.55%	24	9.16%	644	8.12%	20	7.52%	603	7.90%

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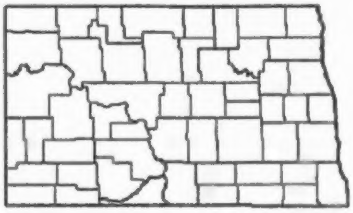
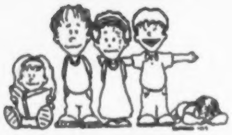


Steele County

County Seat :	Finley
State Population Rank :	48
Land Area (square miles) :	712.4
Number of Households :	894
Number of Families :	633

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Steele	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	2,182	0.34%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	141	6.46%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	193	8.85%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	164	7.52%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	531	24.34%	171,034	26.99%
White	527	99.25%	153,034	89.48%
Black	0	0.00%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	1	0.19%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	3	0.56%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	4	0.75%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	27	4.27%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	292	72.60%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	134	67.91%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	158	76.58%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	2	0.38%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	2	100.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	0	0.00%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	113	20.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	73	17.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,596.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	130	20.57%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	61	9.65%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	38	10.38%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	4.10%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	82	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	10.00%	474	6.21%



Education

	Steele	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$6,069.89	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	342.10	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	2	100.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	1	50.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	1	50.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	36	10.59%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	5	13.89%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	12	33.33%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	17	47.22%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	2	5.56%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	2	5.56%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	8	22.22%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	20	55.56%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	2	5.56%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.2	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Steele	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	12	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	0	0.00%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	9	75.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	0	0.00%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	14	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	4	28.57%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	3	21.43%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	5	35.71%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	0	0.00%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	2	14.29%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Steele	(%)	ND	(%)	Steele	(%)	ND	(%)	Steele	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	19	3.14%	14,889	7.63%	15	2.56%	13,055	6.75%	10	1.74%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	81	13.39%	18,685	9.56%	63	10.75%	20,893	10.80%	65	11.30%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	117	32.68%	35,352	29.00%	127	35.47%	33,924	28.22%	121	35.48%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	0	0.00%	367	4.39%	1	5.00%	382	4.82%	1	5.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	84	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	3.85%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	75	14.23%	28,111	17.06%	61	12.01%	27,772	17.06%	80	16.06%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	1	0.83%	1,167	3.00%	3	2.46%	957	2.50%	2	3.03%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	11	2.09%	6,966	4.22%	11	2.17%	7,341	4.51%	18	3.61%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	5.00%	631	7.55%	1	5.00%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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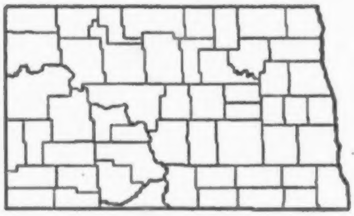


Stutsman County

County Seat :	Jamestown
State Population Rank :	7
Land Area (square miles) :	2,221.5
Number of Households :	8,203
Number of Families :	5,517

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	21,090	3.33%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,348	6.39%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,893	8.98%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	1,631	7.73%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	5,214	24.72%	171,034	26.99%
White	5,066	97.16%	153,034	89.48%
Black	45	0.86%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	50	0.96%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	53	1.02%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	44	0.84%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	896	15.49%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	2,816	81.00%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,163	73.26%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	1,653	86.45%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	51	0.98%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	32	62.75%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	19	37.25%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

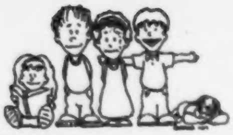
	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	854	17.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	562	15.30%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$30,048.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	748	13.04%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	309	5.39%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	74	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	988	27.89%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	24	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	120	3.39%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	946	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	14	5.98%	474	6.21%



Education

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,347.66	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	3,408.91	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	63	79.75%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	60	95.24%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	3	4.76%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	562	16.88%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	37	6.58%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	257	45.73%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	238	42.35%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	30	5.34%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	58	10.32%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	131	23.31%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	285	50.71%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	61	10.85%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.4	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Stutsman	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	114	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	34	29.82%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	54	47.37%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	160	3.28%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	643	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	126	19.60%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	164	25.51%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	158	24.57%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	195	30.33%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	64	5.41%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Stutsman	(%)	ND	(%)	Stutsman	(%)	ND	(%)	Stutsman	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	335	5.71%	14,889	7.63%	263	4.52%	13,055	6.75%	226	3.90%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	620	10.57%	18,685	9.58%	744	12.77%	20,893	10.80%	806	13.89%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,084	29.93%	35,352	29.00%	1,013	28.87%	33,924	28.22%	975	27.52%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	3	1.28%	367	4.39%	9	4.71%	382	4.82%	7	2.99%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	2	0.85%	52	0.62%	1	0.52%	68	0.86%	1	0.43%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	2	0.81%	73	1.23%	1	0.42%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	713	14.35%	28,111	17.06%	745	15.18%	27,772	17.06%	722	14.62%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	29	2.27%	1,167	3.00%	32	2.55%	957	2.50%	49	4.05%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	173	3.48%	6,966	4.22%	179	3.65%	7,341	4.51%	194	3.98%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	22	9.40%	631	7.55%	14	7.33%	644	8.12%	21	8.97%	603	7.90%

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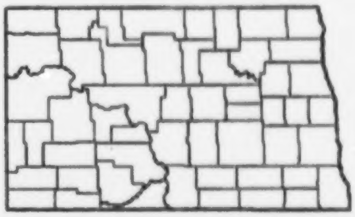


Towner County

County Seat :	Cando
State Population Rank :	37
Land Area (square miles) :	1,025.4
Number of Households :	1,167
Number of Families :	791

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1990 estimates

Population

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	2,955	0.47%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	210	7.11%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	284	9.61%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	217	7.34%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	753	25.48%	171,034	26.99%
White	724	96.15%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.13%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	22	2.92%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	5	0.66%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	5	0.66%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	96	9.85%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	427	74.24%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	178	65.17%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	249	80.72%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	7	0.93%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	6	85.71%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	1	14.29%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

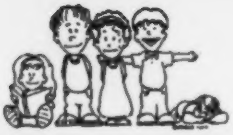
	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	146	19.30%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	106	19.10%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$23,462.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	138	14.21%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	112	11.53%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	10	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	172	31.79%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	3	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	15	2.77%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	54	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	13.33%	474	6.21%



Education

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,158.98	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	517.96	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	13	86.67%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	13	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	61	11.62%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	9	14.75%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	20	32.79%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	28	45.90%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	6.56%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	0	0.00%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	25	40.98%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	30	49.18%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	5	8.20%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	19.9	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Towner	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	14	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	4	28.57%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	7	50.00%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	13	1.83%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	38	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	16	42.11%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	7	18.42%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	3	7.89%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	4	10.53%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	8	21.05%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	3	1.88%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Towner	(%)	ND	(%)	Towner	(%)	ND	(%)	Towner	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	45	5.28%	14,889	7.63%	33	3.95%	13,055	6.75%	12	1.47%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	96	11.25%	18,685	9.58%	110	13.16%	20,893	10.80%	101	12.41%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	229	38.95%	35,352	29.00%	251	44.74%	33,924	28.22%	206	40.08%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	3.13%	367	4.39%	1	4.76%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	1	2.22%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	101	13.47%	28,111	17.06%	110	15.05%	27,772	17.06%	94	13.22%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	1.03%	1,167	3.00%	1	0.48%	957	2.50%	1	0.52%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	33	4.40%	6,966	4.22%	42	5.75%	7,341	4.51%	23	3.23%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	1	3.13%	631	7.55%	1	4.76%	644	8.12%	0	0.00%	603	7.90%

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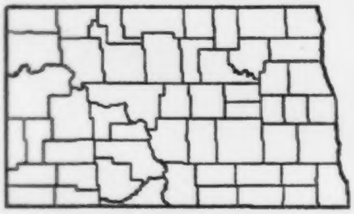
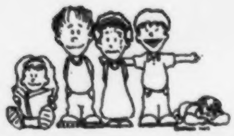


Traill County

County Seat :	Hillsboro
State Population Rank :	16
Land Area (square miles) :	861.9
Number of Households :	3,249
Number of Families :	2,256

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Traill	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	8,555	1.35%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	550	6.43%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	814	9.51%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	701	8.19%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	2,212	25.86%	171,034	26.99%
White	2,172	98.19%	153,034	89.48%
Black	6	0.27%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	17	0.77%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	16	0.72%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	76	3.44%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	194	8.65%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,057	74.08%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	489	72.39%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	568	75.53%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	11	0.50%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	7	63.64%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	4	36.36%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	299	14.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	211	13.00%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$28,941.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	311	13.96%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	129	5.79%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	19	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	354	23.71%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	8	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	36	2.41%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	322	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	7	7.22%	474	6.21%



	Traill	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,583.48	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	1,759.80	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	46	92.00%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	46	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	137	7.70%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	18	13.14%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	51	37.23%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	64	46.72%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	4	2.92%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	8	5.84%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	28	20.44%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	53	38.69%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	18	13.14%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	22.0	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	36	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	8	22.22%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	17	47.22%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	32	1.55%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	86	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	24	27.91%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	14	16.28%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	0	0.00%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	24	27.91%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	24	27.91%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	7	1.33%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Traill	(%)	ND	(%)	Traill	(%)	ND	(%)	Traill	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	111	4.44%	14,889	7.63%	73	2.94%	13,055	6.75%	82	3.31%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	257	10.29%	18,685	9.58%	286	11.51%	20,893	10.80%	298	12.05%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	354	19.64%	35,352	29.00%	350	19.49%	33,924	28.22%	443	25.14%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	5	4.39%	367	4.39%	5	5.43%	382	4.82%	3	3.09%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	2	1.75%	52	0.62%	1	1.09%	68	0.86%	1	1.03%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	1	0.95%	73	1.23%	1	0.90%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	398	19.00%	28,111	17.06%	347	16.70%	27,772	17.06%	366	17.72%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	0.33%	1,167	3.00%	5	0.81%	957	2.50%	17	2.71%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	70	3.34%	6,966	4.22%	66	3.18%	7,341	4.51%	47	2.28%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	4	3.51%	631	7.55%	4	4.35%	644	8.12%	7	7.22%	603	7.90%

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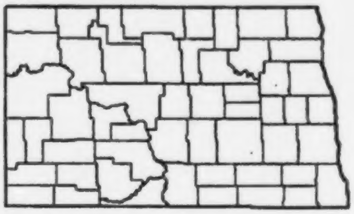
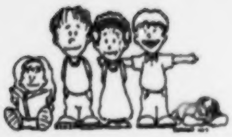


Walsh County

County Seat :	Grafton
State Population Rank :	11
Land Area (square miles) :	1,282.0
Number of Households :	5,050
Number of Families :	3,549

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

	Walsh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Population				
Total Population, 1999	13,356	2.11%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	974	7.29%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	1,353	10.13%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	989	7.40%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	3,504	26.24%	171,034	26.99%
White	3,398	96.97%	153,034	89.48%
Black	7	0.20%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	47	1.34%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	52	1.48%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	316	9.02%	3,080	1.80%
Family Composition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	509	13.34%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	1,757	77.58%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	885	75.59%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	872	79.59%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	31	0.88%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	20	64.52%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	11	35.48%	600	34.97%
Economic Condition				
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	719	20.40%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	481	18.30%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,451.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	496	13.17%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	286	7.59%	12,788	7.37%
Child Care				
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	24	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	466	18.36%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	21	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	105	4.14%	6,633	5.57%
Child Health				
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	790	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	10	6.49%	474	6.21%



	Walsh	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,453.86	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	2,288.72	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	34	65.38%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	34	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	302	13.01%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	30	9.93%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	133	44.04%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	116	38.41%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	23	7.62%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	13	4.30%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	110	36.42%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	130	43.05%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	32	10.60%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.9	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	77	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	17	22.08%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	36	46.75%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	85	2.56%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	314	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	44	14.01%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	75	23.89%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	34	10.83%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	64	20.38%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	97	30.89%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	42	6.08%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

	1997				1998				1999			
Indicators	Walsh	(%)	ND	(%)	Walsh	(%)	ND	(%)	Walsh	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	235	5.92%	14,889	7.63%	199	5.11%	13,055	6.75%	153	4.02%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	443	11.16%	18,685	9.58%	514	13.19%	20,893	10.80%	600	15.76%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	779	30.94%	35,352	29.00%	786	32.02%	33,924	28.22%	723	31.06%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	6	4.62%	367	4.39%	11	6.92%	382	4.82%	13	8.44%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	1	0.77%	52	0.62%	1	0.63%	68	0.86%	1	0.65%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	3	1.59%	64	1.09%	2	1.16%	73	1.23%	3	2.04%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	782	22.52%	28,111	17.06%	770	22.66%	27,772	17.06%	721	21.74%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	11	1.63%	1,167	3.00%	0	0.00%	957	2.50%	16	2.04%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	253	7.28%	6,966	4.22%	163	4.80%	7,341	4.51%	145	4.37%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	9	6.92%	631	7.55%	8	5.03%	644	8.12%	19	12.34%	603	7.90%

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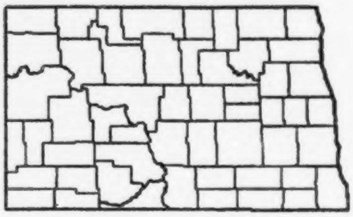


Ward County

County Seat :	Minot
State Population Rank :	4
Land Area (square miles) :	2,013.0
Number of Households :	21,628
Number of Families :	15,388

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	58,360	9.21%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	4,982	8.54%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	5,658	9.69%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	4,619	7.91%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	16,223	27.80%	171,034	26.99%
White	14,649	90.30%	153,034	89.48%
Black	588	3.62%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	569	3.51%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	418	2.58%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	535	3.30%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	2,431	14.96%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	8,315	70.01%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	4,366	64.91%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	3,949	75.64%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	146	0.90%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	85	58.22%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	61	41.78%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

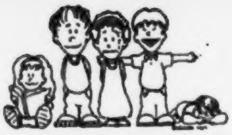
	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	2,451	15.70%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	1,579	14.50%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$27,414.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	2,621	16.35%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	1,004	6.26%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	144	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	2,551	22.18%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	122	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	605	5.26%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	3,165	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	54	6.17%	474	6.21%



	Ward	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Education				
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,812.65	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	10,200.53	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	205	57.75%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	205	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	1,420	13.98%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	152	10.70%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	622	43.80%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	563	39.65%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	83	5.85%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	112	7.89%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	596	41.97%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	503	35.42%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	64	4.51%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	21.9	NA	20.6	NA
Children At Risk				
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	554	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	31	5.60%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	419	75.63%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	235	1.54%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	1,280	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	256	20.00%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	275	21.48%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	2	0.16%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	361	28.20%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	386	30.16%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	37	1.08%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Ward	(%)	ND	(%)	Ward	(%)	ND	(%)	Ward	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	1,269	6.79%	14,889	7.63%	1,068	5.80%	13,055	6.75%	1,002	5.48%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	1,597	8.55%	18,685	9.58%	1,860	10.11%	20,893	10.80%	2,071	11.32%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	3,066	29.59%	35,352	29.00%	2,900	28.34%	33,924	28.22%	3,098	29.19%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	28	2.73%	367	4.39%	21	2.21%	382	4.82%	20	2.29%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	5	0.49%	52	0.62%	6	0.63%	68	0.86%	8	0.91%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	7	1.62%	64	1.09%	6	1.35%	73	1.23%	7	1.45%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	2,456	15.70%	28,111	17.06%	2,430	15.80%	27,772	17.06%	2,493	16.34%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	80	2.21%	1,167	3.00%	125	3.51%	957	2.50%	103	2.96%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	782	5.00%	6,966	4.22%	929	6.04%	7,341	4.51%	921	6.04%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	60	5.85%	631	7.55%	72	7.57%	644	8.12%	60	6.86%	603	7.90%

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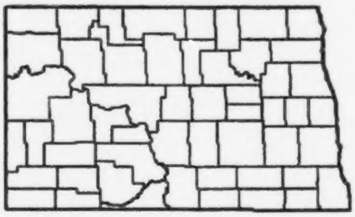


Wells County

County Seat :	Fessenden
State Population Rank :	25
Land Area (square miles) :	1,271.4
Number of Households :	2,088
Number of Families :	1,458

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	5,094	0.80%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	292	5.73%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	412	8.09%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	336	6.60%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	1,109	21.77%	171,034	26.99%
White	1,106	99.73%	153,034	89.48%
Black	1	0.09%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	0	0.00%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	2	0.18%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	4	0.36%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	136	9.48%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	675	73.33%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	299	70.23%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	376	75.80%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	4	0.36%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	1	25.00%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	3	75.00%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

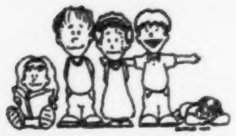
	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	225	19.10%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	158	17.80%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$24,402.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	264	18.31%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	138	9.57%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	12	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	187	24.35%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	5	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	25	3.26%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	126	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	2	4.44%	474	6.21%



Education

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$5,307.10	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	984.75	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	25	92.59%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	0	0.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	25	100.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	109	10.99%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	8	7.34%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	42	38.53%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	48	44.04%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	11	10.09%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	4	3.67%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	53	48.62%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	27	24.77%	5,686	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	10	9.17%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.3	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Wells	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	9	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	3	33.33%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	6	66.67%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	7	0.67%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	43	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	14	32.56%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	4	9.30%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	1	2.33%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	10	23.26%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	14	32.56%	4,026	27.22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	0	0.00%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Wells	(%)	ND	(%)	Wells	(%)	ND	(%)	Wells	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	36	2.84%	14,889	7.63%	36	2.87%	13,055	6.75%	16	1.33%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	153	12.08%	18,685	9.58%	154	12.26%	20,893	10.80%	135	11.19%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	333	30.89%	35,352	29.00%	269	24.59%	33,924	28.22%	275	27.89%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	1	2.63%	367	4.39%	1	2.86%	382	4.82%	0	0.00%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	0	0.00%	68	0.86%	0	0.00%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	0	0.00%	64	1.09%	0	0.00%	73	1.23%	0	0.00%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	158	14.39%	28,111	17.06%	149	13.72%	27,772	17.06%	103	9.90%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	2	0.59%	1,167	3.00%	4	1.16%	957	2.50%	7	2.05%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	21	1.91%	6,966	4.22%	25	2.30%	7,341	4.51%	13	1.25%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	0	0.00%	631	7.55%	1	2.86%	644	8.12%	2	4.44%	603	7.90%

North Dakota

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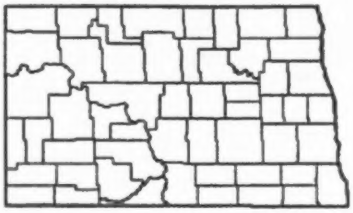


Williams County

County Seat :	Williston
State Population Rank :	8
Land Area (square miles) :	2,070.6
Number of Households :	7,524
Number of Families :	5,282

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Total Population, 1999	19,764	3.12%	633,666	100.00%
Ages 0 to 5	1,502	7.60%	47,633	7.52%
Ages 6 to 12	2,175	11.00%	61,854	9.76%
Ages 13 to 17	1,568	7.93%	50,915	8.03%
Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999	5,557	28.12%	171,034	26.99%
White	4,980	89.62%	153,034	89.48%
Black	8	0.14%	1,519	0.89%
Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian	543	9.77%	14,401	8.42%
Asian, Pacific Islander	25	0.45%	2,082	1.22%
Hispanic Origin of any Race	76	1.37%	3,080	1.80%

Family Composition

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990	921	14.56%	24,886	14.19%
Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force)	3,024	73.15%	84,631	74.40%
With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force)	1,453	67.58%	40,947	69.10%
With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force)	1,571	78.29%	43,684	79.36%
Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999	56	1.01%	1,716	1.00%
Family Home Placements	30	53.57%	1,116	65.03%
ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement	26	46.43%	600	34.97%

Economic Condition

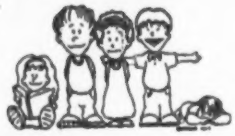
	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997	976	17.50%	27,812	16.80%
Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997	665	15.70%	18,448	15.30%
Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990	$29,283.00	NA	$30,020.00	NA
Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990	657	10.46%	22,193	12.79%
Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990	427	6.80%	12,788	7.37%

Child Care

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000	49	NA	1,872	NA
Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000	731	18.30%	30,894	25.96%
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000	54	NA	1,245	NA
Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000	270	6.76%	6,633	5.57%

Child Health

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000	922	NA	24,500	NA
Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999	10	4.20%	474	6.21%



Education

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year	$4,888.49	NA	$4,925.47	NA
Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year	3,792.50	NA	113,540.67	NA
Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001	115	90.55%	2,476	70.90%
Center Based	115	100.00%	1,464	59.13%
Home Based	0	0.00%	339	13.69%
Reservation Based	NA	NA	673	27.18%
Special Education Enrollment, 1999	487	12.99%	13,934	12.40%
Ages 0-5	53	10.88%	1,605	11.52%
Ages 6-11	221	45.38%	5,939	42.62%
Ages 12-17	193	39.63%	5,698	40.89%
Ages 18-21	20	4.11%	692	4.97%
Emotionally Disturbed	39	8.01%	973	6.98%
Speech Impaired	140	28.75%	4,468	32.07%
Specific Learning Disability	215	44.15%	5,886	40.81%
Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped	35	7.19%	1,262	9.06%
Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year	20.9	NA	20.6	NA

Children At Risk

	Williams	(%)	North Dakota	(%)
Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999	127	NA	4,145	NA
Services Required	27	21.26%	652	15.73%
Services Recommended	69	54.33%	2,430	58.62%
Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000	225	4.29%	4,213	2.63%
Juvenile Offenses, 1999	606	NA	14,792	NA
Alcohol Offenses	123	20.30%	3,094	20.92%
Unruly Behavior	167	27.56%	3,246	21.94%
Offenses Against Person	24	3.96%	784	5.30%
Offenses Against Property	107	17.66%	3,642	24.62%
Other Offenses	185	30.53%	4,026	27,22%
Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990	12	.1.14%	780	2.11%

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

Indicators	1997				1998				1999			
	Williams	(%)	ND	(%)	Williams	(%)	ND	(%)	Williams	(%)	ND	(%)
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid	400	6.37%	14,889	7.63%	335	5.39%	13,055	6.75%	359	5.95%	11,804	6.18%
Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only	736	11.73%	18,685	9.58%	832	13.38%	20,893	10.80%	820	13.59%	22,431	11.74%
Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch	1,079	25.11%	35,352	29.00%	1,043	25.16%	33,924	28.22%	1,050	27.34%	34,419	29.08%
Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care	10	4.31%	367	4.39%	11	4.60%	382	4.82%	16	6.72%	325	4.26%
Deaths of Infants Under Age One	0	0.00%	52	0.62%	2	0.84%	68	0.86%	1	0.42%	52	0.68%
Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19	4	1.83%	64	1.09%	5	2.53%	73	1.23%	3	1.36%	67	1.10%
Children Receiving Food Stamps	956	17.41%	28,111	17.06%	954	17.61%	27,772	17.06%	993	18.93%	27,944	17.42%
High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12	53	3.76%	1,167	3.00%	33	2.20%	957	2.50%	44	2.97%	1,023	2.62%
Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect	223	4.06%	6,966	4.22%	234	4.32%	7,341	4.51%	205	3.91%	7,074	4.41%
Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19	23	9.91%	631	7.55%	30	12.55%	644	8.12%	25	10.50%	603	7.90%

Definitions and Data Sources

County Seat is the designated location for county government functions.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census.

State Population Rank is based on the ordering of all counties in the state by population.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, March 2000.

Land Area is the size of a county in square miles.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Number of Households represents occupied housing units. A housing unit is a house, an apartment, a mobile home, a group of rooms, or a single room used as a separate living quarter. The number listed in this category reflects a person or groups of people living in a housing unit. For example, people living in a mobile home create one household. A mobile home could be unoccupied and be classified as a housing unit, not a household.

SOURCE: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999. Unpublished Data.

Number of Families includes a householder and one or more other persons who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption.

SOURCE: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999. Unpublished Data.

Population

Total Population, 1999 is the total number of people residing in North Dakota. (Note that the 1999 estimates used in this publication were the most current figures available at the time of printing). The percentage for the main indicator represents the proportion of the total population in North Dakota. Age categories 0-5 years, 6-12 years, and 13-17 years indicate the total number of children in these respective age groups. The percentages for the age categories are the proportion these children represent of the total population in respective geographic areas. Total population estimates are compiled by the Census Bureau and based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, September 2000.

Population by Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Under Age 19, 1999 denotes the child population by racial composition. (Note that the 1999 race estimates used in this publication were the most current figures available at the time of printing). The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion children under age 19 represent of the total population for respective geographic areas. Percentages for racial categories represent the proportion of the total child population under age 19 in respective geographic areas. Racial categories include: White, Black, Native American-Eskimo-Aleutian, and Asian-Pacific Islander. Hispanic is reported as a discrete classification because it is considered a separate ethnic category, which includes children of different racial backgrounds. Racial categories can be viewed as the ancestry, nationality group, lineage, or country of birth of the person or the person's parents or ancestors before their arrival in the United States. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. Race estimates are compiled by the Census Bureau and are based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, September 2000.

Family Composition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families headed by a person - male or female - with no spouse present in the home. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. Children in this category include "own children" under 18 who are never married and are related to the family by birth, marriage, or adoption.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3, Table P23, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 are the total number of women over age 15 with children under 18, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. With Children Under 6 includes women with children under 6 only, and women with children under 6 and one or more children ages 6-17 years, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. With Children 6-17 includes women with children ages 6-17 only, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. The Labor Force is defined as persons over age 15 who are employed (part- or full-time) or unemployed (have at some time been in the labor force and intend to be again). People not in the labor force include all persons 16 and over not classified as members of the labor force, such as students, retired people, homemakers, and institutionalized people.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P73, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 are children placed in living situations outside their family homes as a result of Juvenile Court intervention with subcategories by type of placement. Numbers are unduplicated cases and exclude subsidized adoption. The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 19 in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the placement subcategories represent the proportion of children under age 19 in foster care. Family Home Placements - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided by the owner or leasee thereof to no more than four children, unless all of the children in foster care are related to each other by blood or marriage in which case such limitation shall not apply; and N.D. Residential Child Care Facility - a facility other than an occupied private residence providing foster care to more than eight unrelated children, except as may be otherwise provided by rule or regulation/Group Home Placements - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided for more than four but less than ten unrelated children.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services. "Foster Care: Descriptive Characteristics of Children in Care by Administrative County, Fiscal Year 1999." Published March 2000.

Economic Condition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 are the number of children who are living in families with incomes below the U.S. Poverty Threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas. The age category, ages 5-17, reflects the number of related poor children in this age category. (Note that the age category, ages 0-5, is not included in the 1997 estimates.) The percentage for the age category is the proportion these children represent of the total related child population ages 5-17 in respective geographic areas. The Federal Poverty Line or Poverty Threshold was established in 1964, using guidelines set by the Social Security Administration. Income cut-offs were based on a formula utilizing family and individual income, family size and age of family members. The formula was initially based on three times a family's food costs, according to the USDA's most economical food plans. The cost of this food plan is adjusted each year to reflect more current economic guidelines. Only children who live in a household where they are related to the head of the household (referred to as the householder by the U.S. Census Bureau) are included in this analysis. "Related children" include the householder's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the householder (excludes children living in foster care). It should be noted that the Bureau of the Census advises against comparison of these data with the 1995 data published in last year's Fact Book.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates Program.

The 2001 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines are:

Family Size	Hourly Wage	Annual Income
1	$4.13	$ 8,590
2	5.58	11,610
3	7.03	14,630
4	8.49	17,650
5	9.94	20,670
6	11.39	23,690

(Add $3,020 for each additional member)

Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 is the middle point income of the total number of families with children, including those with no income. The median income is the middle point income for this distribution: half of families with children fall above this point and half fall below. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P80A, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families with incomes between 100 and 149 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4A, Table PB101, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below 50 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4A, Table PB101, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Child Care

Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 are individuals or facilities to whom the right, authority, or permission has been granted by the North Dakota Department of Human Services to operate a family child care home, group child care facility, child care center or preschool educational facility. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. A license is required if early childhood services are provided for four or more children ages 24 months and under or five or more children at any one time. Family child care home means an occupied private residence in which early childhood services are provided for no more than seven children at any one time, except that the term includes a residence providing early childhood services to two additional school-aged children during the two hours immediately before and after the school day or all day (except weekends when school is not in session). Group child care home or group child care facility means a child care facility where early childhood services are provided for eight to eighteen children (inclusive) or a facility, other than an occupied private residence serving fewer than eight children. Child care center refers to an early childhood facility where early childhood services are provided to nineteen or more children. Preschool educational facility denotes a facility offering early childhood services and following a preschool curriculum and course of study designed primarily to enhance the educational development of the children enrolled in the facility. Children are served for no more than three hours per day.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

Definitions and Data Sources

Standard Compliance Certification/ Registered Providers, 2000 denotes child care providers who have completed an Affidavit of Standard Compliance and Child Care Provider Contract. This is a voluntary self-certification process for providers who are not licensed and care for five or fewer children, with no more than three under 24 months of age. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 and Standard Compliance Certification/ Registered Capacity, 2000 is the number of children that can be served by respective licensed, standard compliance, and registered care providers. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 14 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

Child Health

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Participants FY 2000 are persons who are eligible for and receive a food voucher and nutrition education contact through the WIC Program. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. The WIC Program provides coupons for specific foods to low-income pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children under age five. To be eligible for WIC, low-income women, infants, and children must be found to be at nutritional risk for medical or dietary reasons. WIC is a prevention program targeted to provide nutrition education, nutritious food, and access to health care. This is not an entitlement program.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, WIC Program, Division of Maternal and Child Health.

Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 are the number of babies who weigh less than 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces) at birth. The percentage is the proportion these babies represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. Data are obtained from birth certificates and are reported by mother's county of residence, rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Education

Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-2000 Academic Year include per pupil expenditures for instruction, administration, operation, and maintenance for school plants in respective areas of North Dakota during a given school year. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, December 2000.

Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-2000 Academic Year is the average number of pupils enrolled per day for respective areas of North Dakota in the academic school year. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, December 2000.

Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 2001, Center Based, Home Based, and Reservation Based include children enrolled in Head Start, with subcategories indicating the number of children in each type of facility. The percentage represents the number of 3-4 year old children enrolled in Head Start as a proportion of 3-4 year old children eligible for Head Start. Eligibility is equal to the sum of: the number of children on the AFDC list (whether enrolled in Head Start or not), the number of children on the Head Start waiting list (but not on the AFDC list), and the number of children enrolled in Head Start and not on either the AFDC list or the Head Start waiting list. The percentages for the subcategories represent the proportion of the child population ages 3-4 enrolled in Head Start in respective geographic areas. Authorized by the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, Head Start is a federally funded, comprehensive early childhood education program created to help prepare economically disadvantaged children ages 3 to 5 to enter and succeed in elementary school. Ninety percent of children in the program must be from families with an income at or below the federal poverty level, while ten percent can be from families that are not poor. At least ten percent of Head Start slots in each state must be reserved for handicapped children. Services include cognitive and language development; medical, dental, and mental health services (including screening and immunizations); and nutritional and social services. Parent involvement is a strong component of the program. Not all eligible children ages 3-4 are enrolled. Participation rates are impacted by both availability of programs and parental choice in enrolling their children.

SOURCE: North Dakota Head Start Directors. Response to Special Request for Head Start Data: January 2001 Enrollment. Unpublished Data.

Special Education Enrollment, 1999 includes the number of children enrolled by age categories and in the following selected special education subcategories: emotionally disturbed, speech impaired, specific learning disabilities, and mentally retarded. The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion special education children represent of total public school enrollment in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the age categories and the selected special education subcategories represent the proportion of the child population enrolled in special education in respective geographic areas. Emotionally Disturbed refers to a condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics, over a long period of time, and to a marked degree that adversely affects a child's educational performance: 1) inability to learn what cannot be explained by intellectual, sensory, or health factors; 2) inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships with peers and teachers; 3) inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; 4) a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; 5) a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal or school problems. The term also includes schizophrenia. The term does not apply to children who are socially maladjusted unless it's determined they have a serious emotional disturbance. It should be noted that amendments to federal law removed the word "Seriously" from "Emotionally Disturbed." However, the definition is the same, so these data are comparable to previous data. Speech Impaired refers to a communication disorder such as stuttering, impaired articulation, a language impairment, or a voice impairment that adversely affects a child's educational performance. Specific Learning Disability refers to a disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes involved in understanding or in using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell, or do mathematical calculations. The term includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia. The term does not apply to children who have learning problems that are primarily the result of visual, hearing, or motor disabilities, of mental retardation, of emotional disturbance, or of environmental, cultural, or economic disadvantage. Mentally Retarded refers to significantly subaverage general intellectual functioning existing with additional deficits in motor, emotional, and social development. This subcategory includes "Educable Mentally Handicapped" (as reported in previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Books) and "Trainable Mentally Handicapped." Because of this change in definition, these data are not comparable to previous data.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Special Education Division. Unpublished Data.

Average ACT Composite Scores 1999-2000 Academic Year are average scores for the composite American College Test (ACT) college entrance exam in respective geographic areas. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. ACT scores are designed to predict a student's potential for success in college. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36, and the average score in North Dakota is 20.8.

SOURCE: ACT, Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Children At Risk

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 are the total number of official reports made to the North Dakota Department of Human Services on behalf of a child where there is the suspicion of child abuse or neglect, with subcategories representing service-based system designations. There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator, while the percentages for the subcategories represent the proportion of the total child abuse and neglect reports in respective geographic areas. The North Dakota Century Code mandates certain persons (those who have contact with children as a part of their professional duties) to report incidents of suspected child abuse or neglect. Any person may report. The Department of Human Services or its designated agent, a regional or county Child Protective Services social worker, will respond to the report by conducting an assessment of the family being reported. This process allows for the assessment of present safety to the child(ren) and the risk of future maltreatment, while simultaneously noting family strengths and needs. These strengths along with any necessary service interventions may lead to the amelioration of child maltreatment within a particular family. The Child Protective Services (CPS) social workers use a Risk Assessment tool to help direct the intervention and assessment process. CPS teams convene to staff all cases and determine if 1) services are required or 2) no services are required. Services Required indicates a high level of risk for the child(ren), and/or the family needs are such that immediate service is required in order to lessen the safety risk. North Dakota Century Code requires a referral to Juvenile Court when a decision is made for Services Required, and a social worker (case manager) must be assigned to coordinate services. If no services are required, the team may indicate Services Recommended or No Services Recommended. Services Recommended indicates a low to intermediate risk level for the child(ren) and the family has service needs, but court action will not be requested at the time of the decision. No Services Recommended indicates 1) no to low risk for the child(ren) and/or 2) the CPS team suggests a discussion with the family on the availability of services, which are unrelated to any specific risk factors; or 3) the family's service need is non-existent. (This subcategory is not included in the Fact Book.)

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services.

Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 are the number of children affected by domestic violence occurring in their homes. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. Domestic violence typically refers to the use or threat of physical force against a current or former partner in an intimate relationship, resulting in fear and/or physical suffering on the part of the victim and witnessing household members. Beginning with the 1999/2000 Fact Book, these data are reported for the indicated calendar year. Previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Books reported figures for a six-month time period; therefore, comparisons with these data should not be made.

SOURCE: North Dakota Council on Abused Women's Services.

Juvenile Offenses, 1999 include children ages 0 through 17 who committed offenses requiring referral to Juvenile Court. There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator. The percentages for the subcategories - Alcohol Offenses, Unruly Behavior, Offenses Against Person, Offenses Against Property, and Other Offenses - represent the proportion of total offenses in respective geographic areas. Offenses are incidents that require referral to Juvenile Court, and can be made by police, parents, school teacher/officials, or other sources. A single child may have committed multiple offenses. These offenses exclude cases involving abandonment, abuse/neglect, deprivation, file 960 (when no further action is recommended), educational neglect, other or no fault deprivations, termination of parental rights, or other special proceedings. Alcohol Offenses include the purchase or possession of alcohol by a minor, delivery of alcohol to a minor, and minor in a liquor establishment. Unruly Behavior includes runaway in and out of state, truancy, ungovernable behavior, violation of conditions for conduct and control, violation of curfew, and other unruly behavior. Offenses Against Person include assault, homicide, kidnaping or unlawful restraint, sex offenses, and other offenses against person. Offenses Against Property include arson or endangering by fire, burglary, criminal mischief or damaging property, criminal trespass, forgery and counterfeiting, robbery, shoplifting, theft (other than shoplifting), unauthorized use of vehicle, and other offenses against property. Other Offenses include disorderly conduct, possession or purchase of controlled substances, cruelty to animals, tobacco purchase/smoking, resisting arrest, driving under the influence, driving without a license, open container, carrying a concealed weapon, illegal possession of a firearm, and all other offenses not contained in the above categories. To maintain consistency with the reporting procedures of the State Court Administrator's Office, these data have been modified from previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! publications to reflect total offenses rather than referrals; therefore, comparisons with previous data should not be made.

SOURCE: Office of State Supreme Court Administrator. July 2001. Unpublished Data.

Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 1990 measures the number of children in this age category who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time; nor are they in the labor force at a given point in time. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 16-19 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P61, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Multi-Year Trend Data

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant & Medicaid (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children who are eligible recipients of Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and automatically eligible for Medicaid. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 21. Aid to Families with Dependent Children is an entitlement program that provides a monthly payment to parents or guardians on behalf of children who are defined as "dependent." AFDC is funded by both the federal and state governments and is administered by the state. Children must be found eligible to receive such assistance, by criteria laid down in federal and state law. Eligible are: needy children who have been deprived of support or care because of death, continued absence from the home, underemployment or unemployment of principal wage earner, or physical or mental handicap. Effective July 1, 1997, Aid to Families with Dependent Children was replaced by Temporary Assistance for Needy Families. TANF is a need-based income assistance program for families with children under age 18 who need financial support because one parent is absent from the home; one parent is incapacitated; family income is within the program standards; and countable assets are within the program limits. TANF is not an entitlement program, and adult TANF recipients are limited to a lifetime total of benefits of no more than 60 months; however, the 60 months do not have to be consecutive months. Children who have received TANF benefits for 60 months may receive benefits when they are adults. Medicaid: See below for a complete definition of the Medicaid program.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP, Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics Unit. Unpublished Data.

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children who are eligible recipients of Medicaid, and who are not receiving an AFDC/TANF grant. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 21 in respective geographic areas. Medicaid is a federally funded entitlement program available to eligible children based upon need. It is designed to assist individuals and families who do not have enough income to obtain health care. Medicaid is authorized by Title XIX, a 1965 amendment to the federal Social Security Act. Eligible persons include those receiving AFDC or SSI payments; those terminated by AFDC and in transition for 4-12 months; elderly, blind, or disabled people with low incomes; persons institutionalized, in foster homes, and certain adoptive children; and pregnant women with children to age 6. Medicaid differs from Medicare, which is a federally funded program for the elderly and disabled only.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP, Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics Unit. Unpublished Data.

Children Receiving Free or Reduced-Price Lunch (1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000 Academic Years) are the number of children receiving free or reduced-price lunch at their schools. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of total public school enrollment in respective geographic areas. Children who participate in school-based nutrition programs receive reduced-price or free lunch at their schools (they may also receive reduced-price or free breakfast and/or milk). To receive a reduced-price meal, household income must be below 185% of the federal poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. To receive a free meal, household income must be below 130% of the federal poverty threshold. Children in food stamp or AFDC families are automatically eligible for free school meals. Families who receive commodity assistance through food distribution programs on Native American reservations are also automatically eligible for free school meals.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Child Nutrition and Food Distribution Programs.

Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care (1997, 1998, 1999) is the number of infants born to mothers who received inadequate prenatal care. The percentages are the proportion these infants represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. These data are calculated by using both an infant's gestational age at birth and the number of prenatal visits completed by the mother at the time of birth: **a)** gestational age 14-21 weeks with no prenatal visits; **b)** gestational age 22-29 weeks with one or fewer visits; **c)** gestational age 30-31 weeks with two or fewer prenatal visits; **d)** gestational age 32-33 weeks with three or fewer prenatal visits; **e)** gestational age 34+ weeks with 4 or fewer prenatal visits. "Adequate prenatal care" denotes women who began their prenatal care in the first four months of pregnancy and, given the age of gestation at birth, made at least 80% of the recommended physician or clinic visits prior to delivery.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Deaths of Infants Under Age One (1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of deaths occurring for infants under age one, as recorded on death certificates. The percentages are the proportion these deaths represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. Data are reported by the infant's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Deaths of Children Ages 1-19 (1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of deaths for children ages 1-19, as recorded on death certificates. The percentages are the proportion these deaths represent of total deaths in respective geographic areas. Data are reported by the child's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Children Receiving Food Stamps (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children under age 18 who are eligible recipients of Food Stamps, including migrant children. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. The Food Stamp Program is a uniform, nationwide program to supplement the nutritional needs of people whose income is at or below the poverty level. Households must meet eligibility requirements. An individual household's food stamp allotment is equal to the maximum allotment for that household's size, less thirty percent of the household's net income.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics. Unpublished Data.

High School Dropouts Grades 9-12 (1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000 Academic Years) are the number of children in grades 9-12 who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time, regardless of when they dropped out. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of total school enrollment for grades 9-12 in respective geographic areas. This number reflects dropout events during a given school year; it does not reflect the success rate for high school students, or the proportion of students who actually graduate four years after they begin high school.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect (1997, 1998, 1999) are the total number of child victims of abuse and neglect, where services were either required or recommended. (See the definition of "Child Abuse and Neglect Reports" on page 155 for a detailed explanation of service categories.) The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services.

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 (1997, 1998, 1999) are births occurring to a mother between ages 12-19 who is not married at the time of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth. The percentages are the proportion these births represent of total live births in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Summary

North Dakota KIDS COUNT! data have been collected and reported for the past seven years, pointing to areas where children are facing challenges to their healthy growth and development. This information is used by a variety of planning groups and decision makers in tailoring responses to identified needs. Yet, as one legislator questioned, how does one sort out what children need from the multiple requests for program funds? In answer to this question and those of the numerous professionals, policy makers, parents, and others who pose similar questions, a few basic guidelines may be helpful:

Population and Family Composition

- Families, regardless of their structure or where they live, need resources to ensure their children can thrive. Rural families, in particular, need access to economic, social, and service connections that will allow them to successfully raise their children in all types of communities.

Economic Security

- Families need jobs that allow them to support their children and access available benefits. Low-income families should be made aware of the economic resources available - such as the Earned Income Tax Credit, Medicaid, Healthy Steps (SCHIP), Food Stamps, WIC, and Head Start - to help them provide for their children's needs and attain self-sufficiency. Establishing eligibility and completing applications should be streamlined to make the process family-friendly.

Child Health

- Children deserve to be born healthy and to receive necessary health care, ensuring their protection from preventable diseases and disabilities. They depend totally on responsible behavior from caring adults to ensure their early health care and education needs are met by committed professionals and parents who understand the impact of early brain development influences. Children with disabilities need access to the supports that will allow them to reach their full potential.

Child Care

- Families with infants and young children should have access to the highest quality care for their children, with subsidization for child care resources that exceed a family's financial capacity. Business and government can form partnerships with families to bolster their ability to care for their children, and business can be rewarded with incentives for their role in supporting employee-parents.

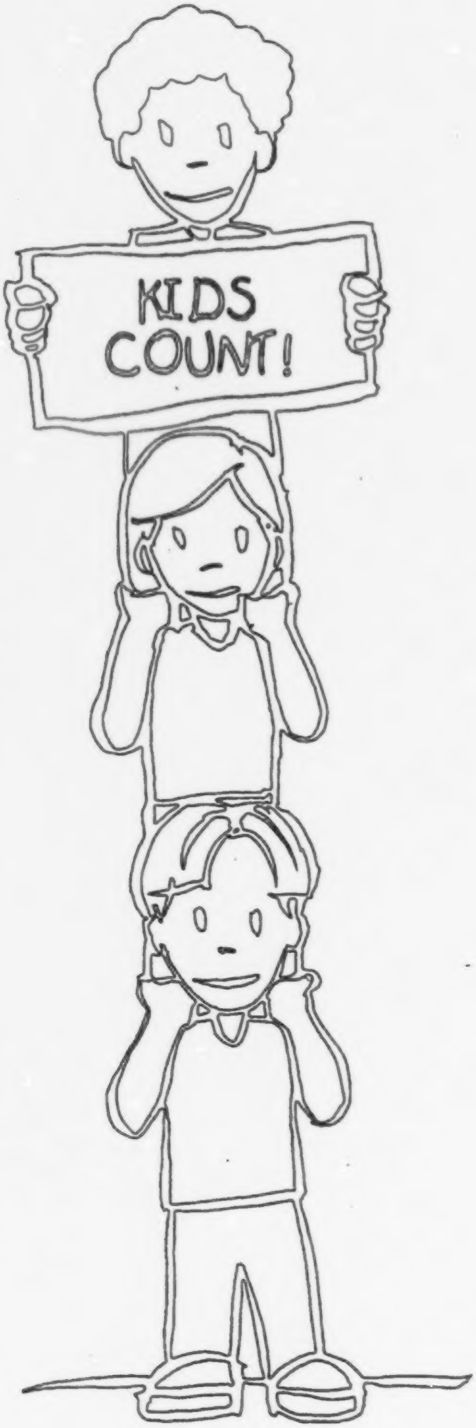
Education

- Children need to start school ready to learn and to attend school in environments equipped with highly qualified teachers and state-of-the-art technology, regardless of school size or location. Every child deserves opportunities for skill-building, socialization, and extracurricular activities that enhance their self-esteem and prepare them to transition to adulthood successfully after completing high school.

Children At Risk

- Families can do a better job of ensuring the safety and well-being of their children, if they are supported with home visiting and similar programs that help parents provide a nurturing environment for their children, free of family violence. Children and youth should be surrounded by networks of caring adults in their home, school, and community environments. Children who break the rules need consequences consistent with the goal of helping them learn responsible behavior to become contributors in society.

Summary



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